

2023:PHHC:158544
IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

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CRWP-11888-2023 (O&M)
Date of Decision: 11.12.2023

NAVDEEP KAUR

...Petitioner

Versus

STATE OF PUNJAB AND OTHERS

...Respondents

CORAM:- HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE HARPREET KAUR JEEWAN

Present:- Mr. Ritesh Pandey, Advocate
for the petitioner.

HARPREET KAUR JEEWAN, J. (ORAL)

[1] The present petition has been filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India for issuance of directions to respondents No.1 to 3 to protect the life and liberty of the petitioner from the hands of the private respondents and also to decide the representation dated 24.09.2023 filed by the petitioner (Annexure P-2).

[2] Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that petitioner is serving as a Teacher in elementary school Chaiwind, where respondent No.4 was also serving as a Teacher. As the petitioner wanted to take loan from the bank, therefore, she came in contact with respondent No.4, who allured the petitioner by saying that he has good links in the banks and would get her loan in an easy manner. On 24.08.2022, respondent No.4 took the petitioner to the house of his NRI relative on the pretext of calling bank officials there. However, both the respondents No.4 and 5 gave cold drinks mixed with some sedative substance to the petitioner, as a result of which the petitioner became unconscious and thereafter respondents No.4 and 5 committed wrong act with the petitioner. On 21.09.2022, private respondents tried to kill the petitioner.

[3] The petitioner reported the matter to the police, however no action was taken and an email dated 28.02.2023 (Annexure P-1) was sent to CPO, Amritsar. Thereafter, representation was issued to the Commissioner of Police, Amritsar on 24.09.2023 (Annexure P-2), however no action has been taken till date.

[4] Notice of motion.

[5] Having received advance copy of the petition, Mr. Sarabjit Singh Cheema, D.A.G., Punjab, appears and accepts notice on behalf of the official respondents No. 1 to 4. Keeping in view the innocuous prayer made in the present petition, the filing of the written response from the respondents is dispensed with.

[6] In view of the above, the present petition is disposed of with the direction to the Commissioner of Police, Amritsar (respondent No. 3) to consider and decide the representation dated 24.09.2023 (Annexure P-2). The needful be done in accordance with law, within a period of one month from the date of the receipt of the certified copy of this order.

[7] Pending miscellaneous application (s), if any, shall also stand disposed of.

(HARPREET KAUR JEEWAN)
JUDGE

11.12.2023

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Whether speaking/reasoned	Yes/No
Whether reportable	Yes/No