

CRWP-12345-2023
Date of decision: 22.12.2023

Monika DeviPetitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others ...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARPREET SINGH BRAR

Present: Mr. Deepak Arora, Advocate and
Mr. Kuldeep Kumar Sarthi, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. I.P.S. Sabharwal, DAG, Punjab.

HARPREET SINGH BRAR, J. (ORAL)

The present criminal writ petition has been filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India for issuance of a writ in the nature of *mandamus* directing official respondents No.2 to 4 for protecting the life and liberty of the petitioner at the hands of respondents No.5 to 10.

Brief facts of the case are that one Bimal Kaur is the owner of property situated in village Pandori Rajputa, Tehsil Bholath, District Kapurthala and she had constructed a residential house over the same and since, she is residing abroad, she has executed Power of Attorney in favour of the petitioner to look after the same in her absence. It is further alleged that son of Bimal Kaur and his wife were having no concern with the said property as Bimal Kaur had already disinherited her son from the immovable and movable property as on 12.09.2023 and behind her back, they have broken the locks of the said house on 17.11.2023 and taken away the gold jewellery, silver jewellery and

other household items which was recorded in the CCTV camera installed in the house and they are also threatening the petitioner while hurling abuses. Aggrieved by this, the petitioner moved representation dated 05.12.2023 (Annexure P-4) to SSP, Kapurthala.

Learned counsel for the petitioner *inter alia* contends that the petitioner would be satisfied in case, a direction is issued to respondent No.2 to consider and decide the representation dated 05.12.2023 (Annexure P-4) in a time bound manner.

Notice of motion.

Mr. I.P.S. Sabharwal, DAG, Punjab puts in appearance and accepts notice on behalf of the official respondents-State. Copy supplied.

Heard learned counsel for the parties.

Keeping in view the prayer made by the petitioner and without commenting anything on the merits of the case, the present petition is disposed of with a direction to respondent No.2 to consider and decide the representation dated 05.12.2023 (Annexure P-4) submitted by the petitioner within a period of four weeks from the date of receipt of certified copy of this order, in accordance with law.

(HARPREET SINGH BRAR)
JUDGE

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