

IN THE HIGH COURT FOR THE STATES OF PUNJAB AND
HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH

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CRWP-114-2024 (O&M)
Date of decision: 08.01.2024

Savita and another

...Petitioners

Versus

State of U.T., Chandigarh and others

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE MANISHA BATRA

Present:- Mr. Pankaj Garg, Advocate
for the petitioners.

MANISHA BATRA, J. (Oral)

1. The present petition has been filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India seeking issuance of a writ of mandamus directing the official respondents to protect the life and liberty of the petitioners at the hands of respondent Nos. 4 to 6.
2. At the very outset, learned counsel for the petitioners has submitted that petitioner-wife has filed a representation on 28.12.2023 before the Senior Superintendent of Police, Chandigarh (*Annexures P-3*) raising her grievances as raised in the present petition but the same has not yet been considered and no action has been taken thereon. He further submitted that at this stage, the petitioners would feel satisfied if appropriate directions are issued to respondent No. 2- Senior Superintendent of Police, Chandigarh to

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decide the aforesaid representation filed by the petitioner and take necessary action thereon.

3. Notice of motion.

4. On the asking of Court, Mr. J. S. Toor, APP, Chandigarh, who is present in Court, has accepted the notice on behalf of the respondent-U.T., Chandigarh and submits that the needful will be done in due course. Let a complete set of the paperbook be supplied to him during the course of the day.

5. In view of the limited prayer made by the petitioners, without commenting anything on the merits of the case, the present petition is disposed of at this stage with a direction to petitioners to appear before respondent No. 2 within a period of three days from today, who after according personal hearing to the petitioners will decide their aforesaid representation (*Annexure P-3*) expeditiously, by passing a speaking order in accordance with law. Needless to say, if any threat is found to the petitioners, the official respondents would provide them adequate security in order to protect their life and liberty.

08.01.2024

Waseem Ansari

(MANISHA BATRA)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned

Yes/No

Whether reportable

Yes/No