

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CRWP-1598-2024
DECIDED ON: 20.02.2024

BALBIR KAUR

.....PETITIONER

VERSUS

STATE OF PUNJAB AND ORS

.....RESPONDENTS

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SANDEEP MOUDGIL.

Present: Mr. Rishu Mahajan, Advocate
for the petitioner.

SANDEEP MOUDGIL, J (ORAL)

1. The jurisdiction of this Court under Articles 226/227 of the Constitution of India has been invoked for issuance of a writ in the nature of *Mandamus* directing the respondent No.3 to protect the life and liberty of the petitioner and his family members at the hands of respondents No.4 to 7.
2. At the outset, learned counsel appearing for the petitioner submits that he would be satisfied in case a direction is issued to respondent No.3-Senior Superintendent of Police, Amritsar Rural to decide the representation dated 12.02.2024 (Annexure P-1) submitted by the petitioner in a time bound manner.
3. Notice to the official respondents only at this state.
4. At the asking of Court, Mr. Rajiv Verma, DAG, Punjab having served with an advance notice, accepts the same on behalf of respondent-State of Punjab. Learned counsel for the petitioner is directed to supply requisite copies of the petition to learned State counsel during the course of day.

5. Without commenting upon the merits of the case, respondent No.3-Senior Superintendent of Police, Amritsar Rural is directed to look into the grievances unfolded by the petitioner in her representation dated 12.02.2024 (Annexure P-1) and to decide the same in accordance with law by passing a speaking order within a period of four weeks from the date of receipt of certified copy of this order.
6. In view of the afore-said terms, the present petition is disposed off.

20.02.2024

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(SANDEEP MOUDGIL)
JUDGE

<i>Whether speaking/reasoned</i>	<i>Yes/No</i>
<i>Whether reportable</i>	<i>Yes/No</i>