

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH

CRWP-2529-2024 (O&M)
Date of decision: 19.03.2024

Balwinder Kaur

... Petitioner

Vs.

State of Punjab and others

... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARPREET SINGH BRAR

Present: Mr. Vaneet Thakur, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Subhash Godara, Addl. A.G., Punjab.

HARPREET SINGH BRAR, J. (ORAL)

1. The present petition has been filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India for issuance of a writ in the nature of mandamus directing respondents No.1 to 3 to protect the life and liberty of the petitioner from the hands of her own son i.e. respondent No.4.
2. Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that the petitioner is a widow and is 70 years of age and she is apprehending danger to her life and liberty from the hands of respondent No.4 (her own son).
3. Learned State counsel submits that the State is duty bound to protect the life and liberty of its citizens. The jurisdictional police authorities, after receiving the advance notice in the present petition, have approached the

petitioner and she stated that at this stage, she does not apprehend any danger from the hands of her son-respondent No.4.

3. In view of specific stand taken by learned State counsel, learned counsel for the petitioner wishes to withdraw the present petition.

4. Dismissed as withdrawn.

5. Needless to say, in case any specific instance is brought to the notice of jurisdictional police authorities by the petitioner, as she is a widow aged about 70 years, concerned Station House Officer shall look into the matter and take necessary action, in accordance with law.

19.03.2024
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[HARPREET SINGH BRAR]
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No

Whether reportable : Yes/No