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

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CRM-M-34027-2024 (O&M)
Date of decision: 08.08.2024

Kulwinder Kaur ...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others ...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE MANISHA BATRA

Present:- Mr. M. S. Kathuria, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Ms. Ruchika Sabherwal, Sr. DAG, Punjab.

MANISHA BATRA, J. (Oral)

1. The present petition has been filed by the petitioner under Section 482 of Cr.P.C. seeking issuance of directions to respondent Nos.1 to 3 to conduct a fair and impartial investigation and take immediate action against respondent Nos. 4 and 5 in FIR No. 60 dated 08.06.2024, registered under Section 365, 323, 149 and 506 of IPC at Police Station Punjab Agriculture University (PAU), District Ludhiana and also to decide her representation dated 05.07.2024 (Annexure P-2).
2. Status report has been filed by the respondent-State, which is taken on record. A perusal of the same shows that the petitioner was married with respondent No. 4 but their relationship was going through rough weather. The aforesaid FIR was registered at the instance of the petitioner against respondent Nos. 4 and 5 and co-accused Sukhjinder Singh, Vikramjit Singh and Kamal with the allegations that they had abducted her and caused several injuries on her person. During investigation of the matter, co-accused Satwinder Singh was

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arrested on 22.07.2024. Respondent No. 5 and co-accused Vikramjit Singh have been granted concession of anticipatory bail by the Court of learned Additional Sessions Judge, Ludhiana, vide order dated 25.07.2024 and remaining two co-accused i.e. respondent No. 4 and Kamal are still absconding. It is also stated that sincere efforts are being made to arrest the co-accused. The investigation is still pending. With regard to aforesaid representation of the petitioner, it is stated that a detailed inquiry was conducted on the representation of the petitioner and the allegations levelled therein were found to be false. The inquiry report is stated to be pending for final approval of the competent authority.

3. On going through the status report, it appears that there is a matrimonial dispute between the petitioner and her husband respondent No. 4. After registration of the FIR, the investigation proceedings have been initiated and are underway. One co-accused has been arrested and two co-accused have been granted concession of anticipatory bail as mentioned above, whereas respondent No. 4 and co-accused Kamal are still absconding and efforts are being made to arrest them as well. There is nothing on record to show that the investigation is not being conducted in a proper way. More so, the representation of the petitioner has also been decided and the allegations made therein have been found to be false. In the given facts and circumstances, I am of the opinion that no case has been made out to issue any direction to the official respondents. Hence, the present petition stands dismissed.

08.08.2024
Waseem Ansari

(MANISHA BATRA)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned

Yes/No

Whether reportable

Yes/No