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IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

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Date of decision: 25.11.2024

Varinder Kaur

....Petitioner.

Versus

State of Punjab and others

....Respondents.

CORAM:- HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SANJIV BERRY

Present:- Ms. Pooja, Advocate,
for Mr. Ritesh Pandey, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

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SANJIV BERRY, J. (ORAL)

Instant petition under Article 226 of the Constitution of India has been preferred seeking directions to the official respondents No. 1 to 3 to protect the life and liberty of the petitioner from the hands of private respondents No. 4 to 5.

2. Heard.

3. Learned counsel for the petitioner, *inter alia*, contends that the petitioner apprehending threats to her life and liberty had moved a representation dated 19.11.2024 (Annexure P-1) to the Senior Superintendent of Police, District Gurdaspur, but till date no action thereon has been taken. She further submits that for the purpose of the petition, the petitioner will be satisfied if appropriate directions are

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given to respondent No.2 to consider and dispose of the aforesaid representation dated 19.11.2024 (Annexure P-1) in accordance with law in an expeditious manner.

- 4. Notice of motion to official respondents.
- 5. On the asking of the Court, Ms. Seena Sandhu, Addl. AG, Punjab, who is present in Court, accepts notice on behalf of the State-respondents No. 1 to 3 and submits that the aforesaid representation will be disposed of in an expeditious manner in accordance with law.
- 6. After considering the rival contentions and considering the limited request made by learned counsel for the petitioner and without commenting on the merits of the case, the petition is disposed of with the direction to respondent No.2- Senior Superintendent of Police, District Gurdaspur, to consider and dispose of the representation dated 19.11.2024 (Annexure P-1) in accordance with law in an expeditious manner.
- 7. The decision so taken be intimated to the petitioner.
- 8. Disposed of.

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(SANJIV BERRY)
JUDGE

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| i) | Whether speaking/reasoned? | Yes/No |
| ii) | Whether reportable? | Yes/No |