



IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

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CRM-M-1479-2025

Date of decision: 15.01.2025

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.....Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others

.....Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE MANJARI NEHRU KAUL

Present : Mr. Sukhcharan Singh Gill, Advocate and
Mr. Bhisham Kingea, Advocate for the petitioner.

MANJARI NEHRU KAUL, J. (ORAL)

1. The petitioner is seeking issuance of directions to respondents No.4 to 6 not to harass and humiliate the petitioner and her family members by calling them to police station and raiding their house in odd hours without complying with the mandatory provisions of Section 179 of the Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023 (for short, 'BNSS').

2. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that despite the petitioner having no previous criminal antecedents, the official respondents have been subjecting the petitioner to continuous harassment by coming to her house at odd hours and thereafter threatening to implicate her in false and fabricated cases. It has been further submitted that the mandatory provisions of BNSS are being blatantly flouted by the official respondents while raiding the house of the petitioner. Attention has also been drawn to Annexure P-1 which is a representation given in the aforementioned regard to respondent



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No.3-Senior Superintendent of Police, Sangrur dated 01.01.2025.

However, it has been contended that no steps have been taken yet to come to the rescue of the petitioner. After arguing for some time, learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the petitioner would be satisfied if appropriate directions are issued to the official respondents to look into her representation dated 01.01.2025 (Annexure P-1) and take appropriate steps at the earliest.

3. Notice of motion.

4. On asking of the Court, Mr. H.S. Deol, Sr. DAG, Punjab, accepts notice on behalf of the official respondents.

5. In view of the above, the present petition is disposed of with directions to respondent No.3-Senior Superintendent of Police, Sangrur, to look into the representation dated 01.01.2025 (Annexure P-1) and decide the same at the earliest, and take appropriate steps, if any required, in accordance with law.

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(MANJARI NEHRU KAUL)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned	:	Yes/No
Whether reportable	:	Yes/No