



IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

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CRM-M-16522-2025
Date of decision: 26.03.2025

Seema Rani

.....Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others

.....Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE MANJARI NEHRU KAUL

Present : Mr. Prabhjot Singh, Advocate for the petitioner.

MANJARI NEHRU KAUL, J. (ORAL)

1. The petitioner is seeking issuance of directions to respondents No.1 to 4 to file a status report with regard to the stage of investigation in FIR No.4 dated 05.01.2025 under Section 108 of the BNS, 2023, registered at Police Station City Fazilka, District Fazilka (Annexure P-1).

2. Learned counsel for the petitioner *inter alia* contends that the husband of the petitioner committed suicide on 04.01.2025 leading to the registration of FIR No.4 on 05.01.2025 under Section 108 of the BNS, 2023 at Police Station City Fazilka. It has been asserted by the learned counsel that ever since the registration of the FIR in question, respondents No.3 and 4 had been exerting undue pressure upon the petitioner to withdraw the FIR in question against respondent No.5, who has been named as an accused in the FIR in question. After arguing for some time, learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the petitioner would be satisfied if appropriate directions are issued to



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respondent No.2-Senior Superintendent of Police, Fazilka, to look into the representation dated 13.02.2025 (Annexure P-2) 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.2-Senior Superintendent of Police, Fazilka, to look into the representation dated 13.02.2025 (Annexure P-2) 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