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**IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH**

CRM-M-11758-2020

Date of decision :25.03.2026

NIRMALA DEVI

... Petitioner

Versus

STATE OF HARYANA AND ORS

...Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JASJIT SINGH BEDI

Present: Mr. Sunil Sihag, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Ramesh Kumar, DAG, Haryana.

JASJIT SINGH BEDI, J. (ORAL)

The prayer in the present petition under Section 482 of Cr.P.C. is for issuance of directions to the respondents for conducting fair and impartial investigation in case FIR No.143 dated 10.02.2018 registered under Sections 307 & 34 IPC and Sections 25/54/59 of Arms Act at Police Station Sadar Karnal.

2. The learned counsel for the petitioner contends that the petitioner was fired upon. Despite the fact that she has suffered injuries, the investigation has not been conducted in a fair and impartial manner. The SIT constituted has not joined the petitioner in the investigation. Therefore, the investigation be handed over to a senior police officer.

3. On the other hand, the learned State counsel while referring to the reply dated 11.12.2023, he contends that the investigation has been conducted in a fair and impartial. The CCTV footage of the place of the occurrence etc. has been examined. Polygraph test, lie detection test of

Satbir, Ram Chander and Surender Kumar has been conducted. It has been found that Satbir and Surender Kumar were not involved in the occurrence. An untraced report has been prepared which shall be submitted in Court within a period of four weeks.

4. Heard.

5. Without going into the rival contentions of either side, the present petition is disposed of with the directions to the S.P., Karnal to look into the matter and proceed in accordance with law.

(JASJIT SINGH BEDI)
JUDGE

25.03.2026
JITESH

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