

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

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CRWP-13085-2025
Decided on: 14.01.2026

Mumtaz AhmedPetitioner
Versus
State of Punjab and othersRespondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SANJAY VASHISTH

Present: Mr. Karan Chaudhary, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Neeraj Madaan, Sr. DAG, Punjab.

SANJAY VASHISTH, J.

1. Present criminal writ petition has been filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, seeking issuance of a writ in the nature of *mandamus* directing respondents No. 2 and 3 to safeguard the life and liberty of the petitioner and to protect the truck bearing registration No. JK19-K-3354, which respondents No. 4 and 5 are allegedly attempting to take into illegal possession. The petitioner further seeks a direction for conducting a free, fair, and impartial investigation pursuant to the representation dated 20.11.2025 (P-1).
2. At the very outset, learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the truck bearing registration No. JK19-K-3354 has since been released on *superdari*; therefore, present petition has been rendered infructuous.
3. In view of the above, present petition is disposed of as infructuous.

(SANJAY VASHISTH)
JUDGE

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Whether Speaking/Reasoned: YES/NO
Whether Reportable: YES/NO