

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA, CHANDIGARH

Sr. No.: 109

Criminal Miscellaneous No.M-12304 of 2015 (O & M)

Date of Decision: April 21, 2015

Pratibha Chaudhary & another

..... PETITIONERS

VERSUS

State of Punjab & others

..... RESPONDENTS

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CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JASPAL SINGH

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1. Whether Reporters of local papers may be allowed to see the judgment?
2. To be referred to the Reporters or not?
3. Whether the judgment should be reported in the Digest?

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PRESENT: - Mr. K.S. Sidhu, Advocate, for the petitioners.

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Jaspal Singh, J (Oral)

1. This is a petition under Section 482 Cr.P.C. for issuance of direction to respondent Nos.2 and 3 to protect lives and liberty of petitioners from the hands of respondent Nos.4 to 7 as petitioners have solemnized marriage against their wishes and consent.
2. The petitioners moved representation (Annexure P-5) to respondent No.2 for getting the needful done but no action has been taken so far.
3. Notice of motion.

4. On the asking of Court, Mr. Yogesh Gupta, Assistant Advocate General, Punjab, who is present in Court, accepts notice on behalf of official respondents. Copy of petition be supplied to him during the course of the day.

5. The present petition is disposed of with a direction to respondent No.2 – Senior Superintendent of Police, Faridkot, to look into the grievances of petitioners unfolded by them in their representation dated April 15, 2015 (Annexure P-4) and if found necessary, take appropriate measures in accordance with law.

6. However, this order shall not be construed as a measure to treat the marriage of petitioners valid or legal.

April 21, 2015
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(Jaspal Singh)
Judge