

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

**C.R.M-M No.28386 of 2015  
Date of Decision : 24.08.2015**

Banto and another

..... Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and others

..... Respondents

**CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE AJAY TEWARI**

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Present : Mr. Harshit Jain, Advocate  
for the petitioners.

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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?

**AJAY TEWARI, J. (Oral)**

Prayer in the present petition filed under Section 482 of the Cr.P.C. is for issuance of a direction to the official respondents to protect the life and liberty of the petitioners and not to harass them at the instance of respondent Nos.4 to 6.

The petitioners have got married against the wishes of their parents. They are stated to be major. In support of her proof of age petitioner No.1 has placed on record a copy of Aadhar Card (Annexure P-1) wherein her age is mentioned as 25 years whereas petitioner No.2 has placed on record a copy of Voter Card (Annexure P-2) depicting his age as 22 years as on 01.01.2004. They have also moved a representation before the Sr. Superintendent of Police, Sangrur (Annexure P-5) for protection of

their life and liberty.

Without adverting to the merits of the controversy, the present petition is disposed of with a direction to respondent No.2, the Sr. Superintendent of Police, Sangrur to take appropriate action on the said representation (Annexure P-5).

Since the main case has been decided, the pending Criminal Misc. Application, if any, also stands disposed of.

**August 24, 2015**  
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**( AJAY TEWARI )**  
**JUDGE**