

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH

Crl. Misc. No. M-33895 of 2015

Date of decision : 01.10.2015

Preeti Sapna and another

... Petitioners

versus

State of Punjab and others

... Respondents

CORAM:- HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE ANITA CHAUDHRY

Present: Both the petitioners in person with
Ms. Amarinder Verma, Advocate.

ANITA CHAUDHRY , J(ORAL)

Preeti Sapna and Shankar Singh, the petitioners before me, claim themselves to be major. They have pleaded that they have married against the wishes of respondent Nos. 4 to 6 and seek protection to their life and liberty. They apprehend danger from respondent Nos. 4 to 6. They have placed on record photographs (Annexure P-1). The petitioners have submitted a representation dated 28.09.2015, Annexure P-4 to respondent No. 2.

Without commenting upon the legality of the marriage and entering upon an exercise to evaluate the evidentiary value of the documents placed on the file, I dispose of the petition with directions to respondent No.2 to decide the representation of the petitioners, Annexure P-4 within a period of one month and grant the protection, if any threat to their life and liberty is perceived. This order shall not be construed to be conferring legitimacy or authenticity to the factum of marriage having been performed as the Court is clearly deprived of any means to determine the facts.

October 01, 2015

**(ANITA CHAUDHRY)
JUDGE**

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