

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

**CRM-M-12886 of 2016
DECIDED ON: April 12, 2016**

RITU BALA & ANR.

.....PETITIONERS

VERSUS

STATE OF PUNJAB & ORS

....RESPONDENTS

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JASPAL SINGH

- 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?**

Present: Petitioners in person along with
Mr. Rahul Bhargava, Advocate.

JASPAL SINGH, J (ORAL)

This is a petition under Section 482 of the Code of Criminal Procedure for issuance of directions to respondents No. 2 and 3 to protect the lives and liberty of the petitioners from the hands of respondents No. 4 to 7.

2. Notice to respondents No. 1 to 3 only at this stage.
3. At the asking of Court, Mr. J.S. Sekhon, AAG, Punjab accepts notice on behalf of respondent-State of Punjab. Copy of the petition be supplied to learned State counsel during the course of day.
4. The present petition is disposed of with a direction to respondent No.2- Senior Superintendent of Police, District Hoshiarpur,

Punjab to look into the grievances unfolded by the petitioners in their representation dated April 09, 2016 (Annexure P-5) and if some substance is found, to take appropriate action in accordance with law.

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

April 12, 2016
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(JASPAL SINGH)
JUDGE