

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

**Crl. Misc. No.M-14070 of 2016
Date of decision : 27.04.2016**

Manpreet Kaur and another

.....Petitioners

versus

State of Punjab and others

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE ANITA CHAUDHRY

Present: Both the petitioners in person with counsel
Mr. A.S. Gulati, Advocate.

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ANITA CHAUDHRY, J. (ORAL)

Manpreet Kaur and Pavitar Singh, the petitioners before me, claim themselves to be major. They have pleaded that they have married against the wishes of respondents No.5 & 6 and seek protection to their life and liberty. They apprehend danger from respondents no.5 & 6. They have placed on record Marriage certificate and photographs, Annexures P-3 and P-4 respectively evidencing their marriage. The petitioners have submitted a representation dated 19.03.2016, Annexure P-5 to respondent no.2.

Counsel for the petitioners states that petitioner no.2 was admitted to bail in Crl. Misc. -M No.19736 of 2015, vide order dated 11.03.2016. Counsel further states that a representation was given to the police for protection.

Without 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-5 within a period of one month and grant them protection, if any threat to their life and liberty is perceived. It is made clear that this order shall not be taken to protect the petitioners from legal action for violation of law if any committed by them.

(ANITA CHAUDHRY)
JUDGE

27.04.2016

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