

Criminal Misc.No.M-31101 of 2016 (O&M)
Date of decision: September 02, 2016

Sandeep Kaur and another

...Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and others

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE INDERJIT SINGH

Present: Mr. Sukhdev Singh Gopera, Advocate, for the petitioners.

INDERJIT SINGH, J.

Mr. Sarvesh Kumar Gupta, Advocate appears on behalf of respondent No.4 and states that he has not given any threat.

Petitioners Sandeep Kaur and Harmesh Singh have filed this petition under Section 482 Cr.P.C. for issuance of directions to respondent Nos.1 to 3 to protect their lives and liberty and to provide adequate security to protect them from respondent Nos.4 to 6, who are father and other relative of petitioner No.1. The petitioners, who are present in Court today, further contend that they being major have solemnized marriage with their own consent in accordance with law. The private respondents are not accepting the marriage of the petitioners and are extending threats to them. The copy of birth certificate of petitioner No.1 (Annexure P-1), copy of 'Aadhar' card of petitioner No.2 (Annexures P-2), photographs (Annexure P-3) and representation (Annexure P-4) of the petitioners have been placed on record.

Without going into the validity of the marriage, the present petition is disposed of with the directions to the petitioners to contact respondent Nos.2 and 3, who, after their satisfaction that the

petitioners are actually facing threat, shall take necessary steps to protect the lives and liberty of the petitioners from private respondent Nos.4 to 6, as per law.

However, it is made clear that this order, in no way, will affect any other proceedings pending or to be filed against the petitioners etc., which are to be dealt with independently as per law.

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(INDERJIT SINGH)
JUDGE

Whether speaking / reasoned	Yes / No
Whether reportable	Yes / No