

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

**CRM-M No.31997 of 2016
Date of Decision : 09.09.2016**

Sabreena Arora and another

.....Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and others

.....Respondents

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE FATEH DEEP SINGH

Present : Ms. Harmandeep Gill, Advocate for
Mr. Varinder S. Chandhok, Advocate
for the petitioners.

FATEH DEEP SINGH, J. (ORAL)

Mr. J.S. Khattar, Advocate has put in appearance on his own on behalf of respondents No.4 and 5/parents of petitioner No.1 and filed his vakalatnama today in the Court. Same is taken on record.

Respondent No.4-Surinder Pal and respondent No.5-Sunita Rani, who happens to be the parents of petitioner No.1-Sabreena Arora, are very much present in person and had a heart-to-heart talk with girl-petitioner No.1. However, after some time the girl has made a statement before this Court that she wants to go and lead her life with the boy-petitioner No.2.

In the light of the same and the fact that though respondents No.4 and 5/parents of petitioner No.1 have tried to oppose the relationship of the petitioners but this Court is only granting protection which is a fundamental right under Article 21 of the Constitution of India.

Notice of motion to official respondents.

On asking of Court, Mr. C.S. Brar, Deputy Advocate General, Punjab accepts notice on behalf of the said respondents. A copy of the paper book be handed over to him.

The petition stands disposed off with direction to the official respondent No.2 to consider and decide the representation of the petitioners (Annexure P-4) within the framework of law.

Meanwhile, in case any instance of threat is brought to the notice of the Police by the petitioners they will act into it expeditiously in accordance with law.

September 09, 2016
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(FATEH DEEP SINGH)
JUDGE

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