

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

Sr. No. 126

CRM-M-32177-2016

Decided on : 09.09.2016

Sushmita Devi and another

..... Petitioners

VERSUS

State of Punjab and others

..... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE DEEPAK SIBAL

Present: Mr.Gautam Thapar, Advocate, for the petitioners.

DEEPAK SIBAL, J. (ORAL)

Learned counsel for the petitioners submits that the petitioners have married against the wishes of the parents of petitioner No.1 and on account of this act on their part, they are under threat of being eliminated at the hands of the private respondents. In view of the above, seeking protection, a representation dated 07.09.2016 (Annexure P-5) was made on behalf of the petitioners to the Senior Superintendent of Police, Batala but to no avail.

In the above circumstances, the petitioners have approached this Court through the present petition.

Without expressing any opinion on the merits of the matter, particularly the validity of the alleged marriage, the Senior Superintendent of Police, Batala (respondent No.2) is directed to forthwith consider the aforesaid representation dated 07.09.2016 (Annexure P-5) made on behalf of the petitioners and thereafter take appropriate action on the same as is deemed fit in accordance with law to

ensure the protection of life and liberty of the petitioners.

The petition stands disposed of accordingly.

09.09.2016
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JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned

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Yes / No

Whether reportable

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Yes / No