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

**C.R.M-M No.33240 of 2016
Date of Decision : 19.09.2016**

Shabnam and another

..... Petitioners

versus

State of Punjab and others

..... Respondents

CORAM : HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE AJAY TEWARI

Present : Mr. Vinod Kumar Kaushal, Advocate
for the petitioners.

AJAY TEWARI, J. (Oral)

Prayer in the present petition filed under Section 482 of the Cr.P.C. is for issuance of a direction to the official respondents to protect the life and liberty of the petitioners and not to harass them at the instance of respondent Nos.4 to 9.

The petitioners have got married against the wishes of their parents. The petitioner No.1 has placed on record a copy of Fifth

Standard Examination (Annexure P-1) wherein her date of birth is mentioned as 11.11.1998 i.e. two months short for completing 18 years of age whereas petitioner No.2 has placed on record a copy of School Leaving Certificate (Annexure P-2) depicting his date of birth as 27.06.1997 that means he is around 19 years old. They have also moved a representation before the Senior Superintendent of Police, Hoshiarpur (Annexure P-4) for protection of their life and liberty.

Without adverting to the merits of the controversy and commenting on the validity of the marriage, the present petition is disposed of with a direction to respondent No.2-Senior Superintendent of Police, Hoshiarpur to take appropriate action on the said representation (Annexure P-4).

Since the main case has been decided, the pending Criminal Misc. Application, if any, also stands disposed of.

September 19, 2016
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(AJAY TEWARI)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned - Yes/No

Whether reportable - Yes/No