

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

CRM-M-36475-2016 (O&M)

Date of decision : 09.11.2016

Agandeep Kaur and another

...Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and others

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JITENDRA CHAUHAN

Present: Mr. G.S. Bhandari, Advocate,
for Mr. Abnash Singh, Advocate for the petitioners.

Petitioners in person.

JITENDRA CHAUHAN, J. (Oral)

Learned counsel for the petitioners contends that the petitioners have solemnized marriage. Their marriage is opposed by respondent Nos.4 to 8. Petitioner No.2 is aged 18 ½ years and has reached the age of discretion. Learned counsel cites '*Neelam Rani and another Vs. State of Haryana and others*', 2011(1) RCR (Civil) 636.

Petitioner No.1, present in person states that she is residing with petitioner No.2 and his family members with her own sweet will.

Notice of motion.

At the asking of the Court, Ms. Harsimrat Rai, DAG, Punjab, accepts notice on behalf of the respondent-State. A complete copy of the paper book has been furnished to learned State counsel, in the Court.

Without expressing any opinion with regard to validity of marriage and on the merits of the assertions made in the petition, the instant

petition is disposed of with the direction to respondent No.2 to take necessary action on the representation dated 05.10.2016 (Annexure P-5) moved by the petitioners and provide necessary protection to the petitioners in accordance with law, in case, he is satisfied that the life and liberty of the petitioners is threatened at the hands of respondent Nos.4 to 8.

Disposed of.

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(JITENDRA CHAUHAN)
JUDGE

Whether speaking / reasoned :	Yes	No
Whether Reportable :	Yes	No