

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA,
AT CHANDIGARH

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CRM-M-36813-2016

Decided on : 14.10.2016

Sandeep Kaur and another

... Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and others

.. Respondents

CORAM : HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE G.S.SANDHAWALIA

Present : Mr.A.S.Dhindsa, Advocate
for the petitioners.

G.S.Sandhawalia, J. (Oral)

The petitioners seek protection under Section 482, Cr.P.C. from the private respondents No.4 to 6 as they got married with each other on 13.10.2016 against the wishes of their parents and relatives, at Gurudwara Dashmesh Pita Pathshahi Dasvi (Regd.), village Singha Devi, Tehsil Kharar, District Mohali.

It is the case of the petitioners that the parents of petitioner No.1 were not ready to accept the relationship of the petitioners and on account of that, there is a threat perception.

It is averred in the petition that date of birth of petitioner no. 1 is 12.08.1996 as per the Aadhaar Card (Annexure P-1), whereas date of birth of petitioner No.2 is 25.10.1994 as per Voter Card (Annexure P-2).

It is further averred that petitioner No.2 is running a diary shop and is capable to meet out his and his married life liabilities. Copy of marriage certificate dated 13.10.2016 (Annexure P-3) and

photographs Annexure P-4 have been appended as proof of the said ceremony. A representation has also been moved by the petitioners before respondent no. 2 (Annexure P-5).

After hearing counsel for the petitioners; without expressing any opinion on the merits of the case and without commenting upon the validity of the marriage or the age of the petitioners and keeping in view the binding precedent of the ***Hon'ble Apex Court in Lata Singh Vs. State of U.P. and another 2006(2) SCC (Criminal) 478***, the present petition is disposed of with direction to respondents no. 2 and 3 to look into the above said application filed by the petitioners with respondent no. 2 and take necessary action in accordance with law and provide protection, if so required.

[G.S.Sandhawalia]
Judge

14.10.2016
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Whether speaking/reasoned	:	Yes/No
Whether Reportable	:	Yes/No