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

Sr. No. 231

CRM No. M-38948 of 2015
Date of decision: April 28, 2016

Uma Sharma and another

.... Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab & others

.... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JASPAL SINGH

1. Whether Reporters of local papers may be allowed to see the judgment?
2. To be referred to the Reporters or not?
3. Whether the judgment should be reported in the Digest?

Present: Mr. B.D. Sharma, Advocate,
for the petitioners.

Mr. J.S. Sekhon, AAG, Punjab,
for respondents No.1 to 3.

None for respondents No.4 & 5.

JASPAL SINGH, J

This is a petition under Section 482 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, preferred by Uma Sharma and Ravi Verma-petitioners seeking issuance of directions to respondents No. 1 to 3 to protect their life and liberty as they have solemnized the marriage against wishes and consent of their family members who are now bent upon

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to interfere in their life as well as to harass and humiliate them.

In response to notice of motion, the police approached the petitioners who have suffered their statements. Copy of the statements made by the both the petitioners have been furnished by learned State counsel, which are taken on record subject to all just exceptions.

A glance at the statements of Ravi Verma as well as Uma Sharma makes it crystal clear that they have solemnized marriage without the consent of their parents. But now the atmosphere is cordial and they are living happily. There is no apprehension or danger to their lives and liberty from the private respondents. As they have categorically stated that they do not require any sort of protection at present.

In view of the statements suffered by the petitioners before the police, instant petition has rendered infructuous and the same is disposed of as such.

April 28, 2016

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**(JASPAL SINGH)
JUDGE**