

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH

CRM-M-19475-2017 (O&M)
Date of decision : 26.5.2017

Anuradha and another

... Petitioners

VERSUS

State of Punjab and others

... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SURINDER GUPTA

Present: Petitioners in person with
Mr.A.S.Rai, Advocate.
Mr. Prateek Sodhi, Advocate,
for respondent No.1

SURINDER GUPTA, J.(Oral)

The file has been received back from the Mediation & Conciliation Centre of this Court with the report that none from the respondent side appeared before the Mediator.

Heard.

Learned counsel for petitioners submits that petitioners have filed this petition seeking protection of their life and liberty alleging that they are major and have married against the wishes of respondents No.4 to 7, who are father, mother, brother and uncle of petitioner No. 1. Apprehending danger to their life and liberty, they moved representation dated 23.5.2017 (Annexure P-5) to Senior Superintendent of Police, Amritsar (Rural).

In view of the submission of learned counsel for the petitioners, but without expressing any opinion on the validity of marriage of petitioners, petition is disposed of with direction to respondent No.2- Senior Superintendent of Police, Amritsar (Rural) to look into the representation dated 23.5.2017 (Annexure P-5) and take appropriate action in accordance with law, on receipt of copy of this order along with

representation in his office.

Learned counsel for the petitioners further submits that the private respondents along with 30-40 persons are present outside the Court premises and the petitioners apprehend danger to their life.

Incharge Security of this Court is directed to take the petitioners outside the Court premises and send them to Protection Home, Chandigarh. Senior Superintendent of Police, Chandigarh will take up the matter with SSP, Amritsar (Rural) who will ensure that the petitioners reach their house safe and sound.

However, it is made clear that this order will have no effect on the validity of alleged marriage of the petitioners or on any other civil or criminal proceedings instituted against them.

A copy of this order be given Dasti.

May 26, 2017
Paritosh Kumar

(SURINDER GUPTA)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned	Yes/No
Whether reportable	Yes/No

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On behalf of private respondents, Mr. Prateek Sodhi, Advocate has put in appearance and sought opportunity to have talk of respondent No.4-father of petitioner No.1 with the petitioners.

The matter is referred to Mediation and Conciliation Centre of this Court, where the parties may sit together and take the assistance of mediator to resolve the issue.

File be again put up in the second sessions today itself.

May 26, 2017
Sachin M.

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JUDGE