

110 IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

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CRM-M-32194-2017(O&M)

Date of decision: 31.08.2017

Simran and another

...Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and others

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN

Present: Mr. Hoshiar Singh, Advocate
for the petitioners.

ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN, J. (ORAL)

The petitioners have approached this Court seeking protection of their life and liberty on the premise that petitioner No.1 has performed marriage with petitioner No.2 against the wishes of her parents and other family members and the petitioners are apprehending threat to their life and liberty at their instance.

Learned counsel for the petitioners submits that the petitioners have married against the wishes of their parents and are apprehending threat to their life and liberty. However, no marriage certificate has been placed on record. It is also submitted that some of the relatives of petitioner No.1 are present in the Court premises and may create problem to them. Learned counsel for the petitioners has further submitted that a representation dated 29.08.2017 was made to the Senior Superintendent of Police, Pathankot (Annexure P-5) seeking necessary protection but no action has been taken so far in the matter.

Notice of motion.

On the asking of the Court, Mr. Kirat Singh Sidhu, DAG, Punjab accepts notice on behalf of the respondent-State.

Heard.

Mr. Harmesh Singh, Head Constable of Chandigarh Police, who is present in Court, is directed to accompany the petitioners to SHO, Police Station, Sector-3, Chandigarh in his protection. The police officials of Police Station, Sector-3, Chandigarh will further take the petitioners to the office of the Senior Superintendent of Police, SAS Nagar, who will further provide protection to them to go to their native place.

Without examining the question of validity or otherwise of marriage of the petitioners, the present petition stands disposed of with a direction to the Senior Superintendent of Police, Pathankot to look into grievance of the petitioners expressed in the representation (Annexure P-5) and take appropriate action, if any, warranted in the circumstances.

Copy of this order be supplied to learned counsel for the petitioners under the signature of the Special Secretary of this Court.

(ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN)
JUDGE

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