

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

**Crl. Misc. No.M-3520 of 2017 (O&M)  
Date of decision : February 02, 2017**

Sandeep Kumar and another

... Petitioners

**VERSUS**

State of Punjab and others

... Respondents

**CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SURINDER GUPTA**

Present: Petitioners in person with  
Mr. Puneet Sharma, Advocate.

**SURINDER GUPTA, J.(Oral)**

This petition is for seeking protection of life and liberty of petitioners, who alleged to have married against the wishes of respondents No.5 to 8, father and other relatives of petitioner No.2.

Learned counsel for the petitioners has limited his prayer for taking appropriate action in accordance with law on the representation dated 01.02.2017 (Annexure P-8) made by the petitioners. It has been stated that both the petitioners are major. The date of birth of petitioner No.1-Sandeep Kumar is 29.11.1984 as per copy of Voter Identity Card (Annexure P-1) and that of petitioner No.2-Rajni Bala is 01.04.1984 as per copy of Matriculation Examination Certificate (Annexure P-3). They got married on 31.01.2017. Photographs of marriage are Annexure P-4 to P-7.

In view of the prayer made by the 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, Gurdaspur to look into the representation

dated 01.02.2017 (Annexure P-8) and take appropriate action in accordance with law, on receipt of copy of this order along with representation in his office.

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.

**February 02, 2017**  
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**(SURINDER GUPTA)**  
**JUDGE**

***Whether speaking/reasoned: Yes/No***

***Whether Reportable: Yes/No***