

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH

CRM-M No.42455 of 2017 (O&M)

Date of decision : 9.11.2017

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Rajni Banga and another

.....Petitioners

vs.

State of Punjab and others

.....Respondents

Coram: Hon'ble Mr. Justice H. S. Madaan

Present: Petitioners in person with Mr. Kapil Khanna, Advocate.

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H. S. Madaan, J. (Oral)

It is contended that petitioner No.1 – Rajni Banga, aged about 18 years has got married with petitioner No.2- Sukhwinder Singh, aged about 21 years, against the wishes of her mother – Balvir Kaur and brother-in-law - Rashpal Singh, arrayed as private respondents No. 4 and 5, respectively, who are threatening to interfere in their marital life, as such to seek protection in that regard, the petitioners have approached this Court by way of filing the present petition.

The petition is disposed of with a direction to respondent No.2 – the Senior Superintendent of Police, Hoshiarpur, to look into

the grievances of the petitioners and to take necessary measures to ensure that lives and liberty of the petitioners are not jeopardized at the hands of respondents No. 4 and 5 or persons claiming under them.

However, this order shall not validate the marriage between the petitioners and shall not have any effect on any civil or criminal action to which the petitioners may be found liable, under the law.

(H.S. Madaan)
Judge

9.11.2017

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Whether speaking / reasoned Yes / No

Whether reportable Yes / No