

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

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**CRM-M-43493-2016
DATE OF DECISION:06.10.2017**

DAMANPREET KAUR & ANOTHER

... Petitioners

Versus

STATE OF PUNJAB & OTHERS

... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL

Present: Mr. S.K. Gupta, Advocate for
Mr. Sandeep Sharma, Advocate
for the petitioners.

Mr. Hittan Nehra, Addl.A.G., Punjab.

ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL, J. (ORAL)

The petitioners are seeking direction to respondents No.1 to 3 for protecting their life and liberty as they apprehend threat from respondents No.4 & 5.

Learned counsel for the petitioners contends that the date of birth of petitioner No.1 is 01.01.1997 while the date of birth of petitioner No.2 is 01.04.1989. The copies of their Aadhaar Cards, in support thereof, are annexed as Annexures P-2 and P-3, respectively.

The petitioners are stated to have solemnized their marriage on 07.09.2016 and the photographs in this regard are annexed as Annexure P-1. It is further stated in the petition that the petitioners had also made a representation dated 29.11.2016 (Annexure P-4) to the Senior Superintendent of Police, Amritsar Rural, District Amritsar but no action has so far been taken thereon.

Therefore, without expressing any opinion on the validity of the marriage and keeping in view the mandate of the Hon'ble Supreme Court in the case of **Lata Singh Vs. State of U.P and another, JT 2006 (6) SC 173**, the petition is disposed of, with a direction to respondent No.2-Senior Superintendent of Police, Amritsar Rural, District Amritsar to look into the matter and take appropriate action in accordance with law to ensure that no harm is caused to the life and liberty of the petitioners at the hands of private respondent(s).

06.10.2017

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(ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL)
JUDGE

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