

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

**CRM NO. M-4792 OF 2017  
DECIDED ON : 18.05.2017**

**Sangeeta Kumari and another**

**...Petitioners**

**versus**

**State of Haryana and others**

**...Respondents**

**CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE AMOL RATTAN SINGH**

Present : Mr. S. K. Liberhan, Advocate,  
for the petitioners.

Mr. Kuldeep Tiwari, Addl. AG, Haryana.

**AMOL RATTAN SINGH, J. (ORAL)**

Learned counsel for the petitioners, as also learned State counsel, submit that as a matter of fact the matter has been reconciled between the petitioners and respondents No.4 to 13 and the petitioners no longer apprehend any threat to their lives and liberty.

Consequently, as regards protection of lives and liberty of the petitioners, this petition is disposed of as having been rendered infructuous, but in view of the fact that petitioner No.2 is shown to be of less than marriageable age, his date of birth being 02.10.1998, as per the copy of the educational qualification certificate annexed as Annexure P-2 with the petition, it is made clear that no order passed by this Court in

this petition would be treated to be a bar on proceedings initiated under the provisions of the Prohibition of Child Marriage Act, 2006 (hereinafter referred to as "the Act"), the offences enumerated therein being cognizable under Section 15 of the said Act.

**(AMOL RATTAN SINGH)**  
**JUDGE**

**MAY 18, 2017**  
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Whether speaking/reasoned : YES/NO

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