

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

**CRM-M No.12322 of 2018
DATE OF DECISION :- 22.03.2018**

Harpreet Kaur and another

...Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and others

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE H.S. MADAAN

Present:- Mr. Fatehjeet Singh, Advocate
for the petitioners.

H.S. MADAAN, J. (ORAL)

It is contended that petitioner no. 1 Harpreet Kaur, aged about 19 years has married petitioner no. 2 Jagdev Singh, aged about 33 years, against the wishes of her family members, arrayed as respondents no. 4 and 5, 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 Senior Superintendent of Police, District Ferozepur to take necessary steps to ensure that lives and liberty of the petitioners are not jeopardised at the hands of respondents no. 4 and 5. However, this direction will not validate the marriage said to have taken place between the petitioners and will have no effect on any civil or criminal action which could be initiated in the matter in accordance with law.

**(H.S. MADAAN)
JUDGE**

22.03.2018
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Whether speaking/reasoned

Yes/No

Whether Reportable

Yes/No