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

**C.R.M-M No.26701 of 2018 (O&M)
Date of Decision : 27.06.2018**

Aman Khatun and another

..... Petitioners

versus

State of Punjab and others

..... Respondents

CORAM : HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE AJAY TEWARI

Present : Mr. Mohit Sadana, Advocate
for the petitioners.

AJAY TEWARI, J. (Oral)

Prayer in the present petition filed under Section 482 of the Cr.P.C. is for issuance of a direction to the official respondents to protect the life and liberty of the petitioners and not to harass them at the instance of respondent Nos.4 to 27.

The petitioners have got married against the wishes of their parents. They are stated to be major. In support of her proof of age petitioner No.1 has placed on record a copy of Matriculation Certificate (Annexure P-1) wherein her date of birth is mentioned as 09.11.1999 whereas petitioner No.2 has placed on record a copy of Aadhar Card (Annexure P-4) depicting his date of birth as 25.09.1994. They have also moved a representation before the Sr. Superintendent of Police, Patiala

(Annexure P-8) for protection of their life and liberty.

Without adverting to the merits of the controversy, the present petition is disposed of with a direction to the respondent No.2-Sr. Superintendent of Police, Patiala to take appropriate action on the said representation (Annexure P-8). The respondent No.2 is further directed to follow the directions given by the Supreme Court in the matter of *Shakti Vahini vs. Union of India and others, 2018 AIR (SC) 1601*.

Since the main case has been decided, the pending Criminal Misc. Application, if any, also stands disposed of.

June 27, 2018

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(AJAY TEWARI)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned

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Yes/No

Whether reportable

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Yes/No