

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

CRM-M-50762-2018 (O&M)

Date of Decision:-17.11.2018

Arti Rani and another

... Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and others

... Respondents

**CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE GURVINDER SINGH GILL**

Present:- Mr. Ram Karan Agnihotri, Advocate for the petitioners.

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**GURVINDER SINGH GILL, J.**(Oral)

Petitioners Arti Rani and Gurmeet Singh have averred that they have married against wishes of respondents No.4 and 5, who are parents of petitioner No.1. The petitioners have annexed copies of their Aadhar Cards indicating that petitioners are aged 22 years and 21 years.

The petitioners apprehend threat to their life and liberty at the hands of respondents No.4 and 5 and thus seek issuance of appropriate directions.

The petition is disposed of with a direction to respondent No.2-Superintendent of Police, Ferozepur to look into the representation dated 15.11.2018 (Annexure P-4) made by petitioners, in accordance with law, immediately upon receipt of certified copy of this order. In case any apprehension of threat to the life and liberty of the petitioners is found, requisite steps be taken immediately, in accordance with law, to protect life and liberty of the petitioners.

It is, however, made clear that this order shall not be taken to be an expression as regards validity of the alleged marriage of the parties.

17.11.2018

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(Gurvinder Singh Gill)

Judge

Whether speaking /reasoned

Yes / No

Whether Reportable

Yes / No