

117 IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CWP No. 5994-2019
Date of Decision: 06.03.2019

Guropdesh Singh and another

..... Petitioners

versus

State of Punjab and others

..... Respondents

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE TEJINDER SINGH DHINDSA

Present: Mr.Pankaj Garg, Advocate for the petitioners.

TEJINDER SINGH DHINDSA, J. (ORAL)

Petitioners seek a mandamus for directing the concerned official respondents to register their marriage under the Punjab Sikh Anand Karaj Marriage Act, 2018 and the Punjab Anand Marriages Registration Rules, 2016.

Counsel would submit that both the petitioners have attained the age of majority. Marriage was solemnised on 17.12.2018 at Gurudwara Akalghar Sahib, District Mohali. It is contended that an application was sought to be submitted before the Tehsildar, Mohali but the same was not entertained on the pretext that parents/blood relations of petitioner No.2-Sumandeep Kaur must come present. Argument raised is that there is no such requirement under the Act or the Rules.

Notice of motion.

On the asking of the Court, Mr.Hittan Nehra, Addl.AG, Punjab

accepts on behalf of respondents No. 1 to 4.

A complete copy of the writ paper book already stands furnished to the learned State counsel.

In view of the short grievance raised in the petition, I deem it appropriate to dispose of the instant writ petition with a direction to Tehsildar, Mohali/competent authority to accept the application of the petitioners and to thereafter process the same in accordance with law and under the provisions of the Act/Rules. If there be no impediment in law, the requisite marriage registration certificate be issued to the petitioners expeditiously.

Petition disposed of.

(TEJINDER SINGH DHINDSA)
JUDGE

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Whether speaking/reasoned	Yes/No
Whether Reportable	Yes/No