

**In The High Court for the States of Punjab and Haryana
At Chandigarh**

CRM-M-16029-2019 (O&M)

Date of Decision:-5.4.2019

Monika and another

... Petitioners

Versus

State of Haryana and others

... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE GURVINDER SINGH GILL

Present:- Mr. Vikram Jeet Singh, Advocate for the petitioners.

GURVINDER SINGH GILL, J.(Oral)

Petitioners Monika and Aasib Khan have averred that they have married against wishes of respondents No.4 to 7, who are mother, brother and other relatives of petitioner No.1. The petitioners have annexed copies of their Aadhar Cards indicating that petitioner No.1 is little less than marriageable age of 18 years, while petitioner No.2 is aged 21 years.

The petitioners apprehend threat to their life and liberty at the hands of respondents No.4 to 7 and thus seek issuance of appropriate directions.

The petition is disposed of with a direction to respondent No.2-Superintendent of Police, District Hisar to look into the representation Annexure P-5 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 and shall not be deemed to confer any immunity upon petitioners from any action warranted under law for having married before the marriageable age.

5.4.2019

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**(Gurvinder Singh Gill)
Judge**

Whether speaking /reasoned Yes / No

Whether Reportable Yes / No