

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

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**CRM-M-18222-2019 (O&M)
Date of decision: 24.04.2019**

Sukhpreet Kaur and another

..... Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and others

..... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANIL KSHETARPAL

Present:- None.

ANIL KSHETARPAL, J. (ORAL)

Sukhpreet Kaur and Sandeep Masih, the petitioners before me, claim themselves to be major. They have pleaded that they have got married against the wishes of respondents No.4 to 10 and seek protection to their life and liberty. They apprehend danger from respondents No.4 to 10. They have placed on record photographs Annexure P-4 evidencing their marriage. The petitioners have submitted a representation dated 18.04.2019, Annexure P-5 to respondent No.2.

Without entering upon an exercise to evaluate the evidentiary value of the documents placed on the file, I dispose of the petition with directions to respondent No.2 to decide the representation of the petitioners, Annexure P-5 within a period of one month and grant them protection, if any threat to their life and liberty is perceived. It is made clear that this order shall not be taken to protect the petitioners from legal action for violation of law, if any, committed by them.

24.04.2019

Dinesh Bansal

**(ANIL KSHETARPAL)
JUDGE**

Whether speaking/reasoned
Whether Reportable

Yes / No
Yes / No