

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

**247**

**CRM-M No.53189 of 2018 (O&M)  
Date of Decision : 19.03.2019**

Jaspal Kaur and Another

..... Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and Others

..... Respondents

**CORAM : HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE AJAY TEWARI**

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Present : None for the petitioners.

Ms. Amarjit Kaur Khurana, D.A.G., Punjab.

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**AJAY TEWARI, J. (ORAL)**

Prayer in the present petition filed under Section 482 Cr.P.C. is for issuing directions to the respondents No.2 and 3 to protect the lives and personal liberty of the petitioners at the hands of respondents No.4 and 5.

On 01.12.2018 the following order as passed:-

*“The present petition has been filed praying for the directions for protection of life and liberty of the petitioners, who have entered into matrimony against the wishes of their parents.*

*Notice of motion.*

*On the asking of the Court, Mr.Rana Harjasdeep Singh, DAG, Punjab, accepts notice on behalf of respondents No.1 to 3.*

*At this stage, Mr. Amandeep Singh Sandhu, Advocate, has put in appearance on behalf of respondent No.4 and filed his power of attorney, which is taken on record.*

*List on 15.01.2019.*

*On joint request of the parties, the matter is referred to Mediation and Conciliation Centre of this Court.*

*Parties are directed to appear before Mediation and Conciliation Centre of this Court, on 10.12.2018.*

*In the meantime, respondent No.2-Senior Superintendent of Police, District Barnala, shall ensure that no harm is caused to the life and liberty of the petitioners at the hands of respondents No.4 & 5.*

*Learned counsel for the petitioners is directed to supply requisite copies of this petition to learned State counsel during the course of the day, failing which, the interim relief shall have no effect”.*

None has entered appearance on behalf of the petitioners even on second call. As per the mediation report, the respondent No.4 is not ready to accept this relationship.

In the circumstances, the interim order dated 01.12.2018 is made absolute. However, it is made clear that any legal steps may be taken by the respondents.

Petition stands allowed.

Since the main cases have been decided, the pending criminal miscellaneous application, if any, also stands disposed of.

**(AJAY TEWARI)**  
**JUDGE**

**March 19, 2019**  
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Whether speaking/reasoned - Yes/No

Whether reportable - Yes/No