

In the High Court of Punjab and Haryana at Chandigarh

**Civil Writ Petition No. 16811 of 2019
Date of Decision: 17.6.2019**

Monika and anotherPetitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and othersRespondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARNARESH SINGH GILL

Present: Mr. Vikas Arora, Advocate
for the petitioner.

HARNARESH SINGH GILL, J. (ORAL)

Monika and Sunny, the petitioners before me, claim themselves to be major. They have pleaded that they have married against the wishes of respondents No. 4 to 8 and seek protection to their life and liberty. They apprehend danger from respondents No. 4 to 8. They have placed on record marriage certificate and photographs, Annexures P-4 and P-3, respectively evidencing their marriage. The petitioners have submitted a representation dated 12.6.2019, Annexure P-5.

Without entering upon an exercise to evaluate the evidentiary value of the documents placed on the file, in case petitioners approach Commissioner of Police, Amritsar within one week from today, for protection of their life and liberty then he is directed to look into the representation made by petitioners and decide the same 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.

Petition stands disposed of in the above terms.

(HARNARESH SINGH GILL)
JUDGE

June 17, 2019
Gurpreet

Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No
Whether reportable : Yes/No