

Sahila and another

.....Petitioners

versus

U.T. Chandigarh and others

.....Respondents

**CORAM: HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE SUDHIR MITTAL**

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Present: Ms. Savita, Advocate  
for the petitioners**Sudhir Mittal, J. (Oral)**

The matter was referred to the Mediation and Conciliation Centre of this Court as respondent No. 4 had expressed a wish to meet his daughter once. However, from the report of the learned Mediator it is apparent that petitioner No. 1 is not inclined to meet her father.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that a large number of relatives of petitioner No. 1 are present in the Court premises and the petitioners apprehend that they may either cause injuries or may abduct them on their way out of the Court premises.

Notice of motion.

Respondents No. 1 to 3 be served through the Public Prosecutor for U.T. Chandigarh.

Mr. Nafees Ahmed, Advocate has already put in appearance on behalf of respondent No. 4 and, thus, respondents No. 5 and 6 need not be served.

The petition is disposed of with a direction to respondent No. 2 to take into consideration request of the petitioners made vide representation dated 01.12.2019 (Annexure P-5) and to provide adequate protection to the petitioners in case is it

It is made clear that the aforementioned directions do not restrain initiation of any other proceedings in accordance with law nor it is an expression of opinion regarding the validity or otherwise of the marriage.

SHO, Police Station Sector-3, Chandigarh is directed to provide an escort from the Court premises to the petitioners to a safe house within Chandigarh. The petitioners shall be kept in the said safe house till the time adequate protection is granted by respondent No. 2.

Copy of this order be given to learned counsel for the petitioner under signatures of the Bench Secretary and copy of the same be also transmitted to SHO, Police Station Sector-3, Chandigarh by 4.00 p.m.

December 05, 2019

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**[SUDHIR MITTAL]**  
**JUDGE**

**Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No**

**Whether Reportable : Yes/No**