

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

Sr. No.112

CRWP-1555-2019

Date of decision:- 4.12.2019

Rajwinder Kaur and another

...Petitioners

VERSUS

State of Punjab and others

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SUDHIR MITTAL

Present: Mr. A.K. Sama, Advocate for the petitioners.

SUDHIR MITTAL, J. (ORAL)

The petitioners have allegedly married each other against the wishes of their respective parents and thus, they fear for their lives and liberty. Despite representation dated 1.12.2019 (Annexure P-4), having been submitted before respondent No.2, no protection has been granted.

According to the averments in the petition, petitioner No.1 is aged 18 years and said statement is being made on the basis of her Aadhar Card, a copy of which has been annexed as Annexure P-1. Whether, the date of birth of petitioner No.1 mentioned in Annexure P-1 is correct or not, is not being opined upon by this Court.

Notice of motion.

Mr. P.S. Walia, AAG, Punjab, accepts notice on behalf of the State of Punjab-respondents No.1 to 3. Four copies of the paper book be supplied to him during the course of the day.

Considering the nature of the order being passed there is no necessity to serve the private respondents or to seek a reply from any one of the respondents.

The petition is disposed of with a direction to respondent No.2 to take into consideration the request of the petitioners made vide representation dated 1.12.2019 (Annexure P-4) and to provide necessary protection in case the facts of the case so dictate.

It is made clear that this order is not a bar on initiation of any proceedings in accordance with law nor is it an expression of opinion regarding the validity or otherwise of the marriage.

4.12.2019
Ramandeep Singh

(SUDHIR MITTAL)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned
Whether Reportable

Yes/No
Yes/No