

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH.**

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CRWP-2432-2019

Date of decision : 19.12.2019

Pooja and another

.....Petitioners

Versus

State of Haryana and others

.....Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ARUN KUMAR TYAGI

Present : Ms. Suman Kumari, Advocate
for the petitioners with the petitioners in person.

ARUN KUMAR TYAGI, J (ORAL)

The petitioners, who are of the age of 19 and 18 years respectively as per their Aadhar Cards, have approached this Court seeking protection of their life and liberty on the averments that the petitioners performed marriage on 18.12.2019 at Tridev Sanatan Dharma Parchar Samiti, as per Hindu rites and ceremonies against the wishes of respondents No. 5 to 11 and the petitioners are apprehending threat to their life and liberty at their instance.

Notice of motion restricted to respondents No. 1 to 4 only.

On asking of the Court, Mr. Arjun Singh Yadav, Asst.AG Haryana accepts notice on behalf of respondents No.1 to 4. Copy of paper book has been supplied to learned State Counsel.

The petitioners, who are present in the Court and duly identified by their Counsel, have on being questioned by the Court admitted having solemnized marriage and reiterated their prayer for protection as mentioned in the petition.

Learned counsel for the petitioners states that a representation dated 18.12.2019 (Annexure P-6) was made to the respondents No. 2 to 4 seeking necessary protection but no action has been taken so far in the matter and prays for issuance of direction in this regard.

Learned State counsel has no objection if appropriate direction for providing requisite protection to the petitioners is given.

Without examining the question of legality and validity of the marriage and expressing any opinion thereon, the petition is disposed of with the directions to respondent No. 2-Senior Superintendent of Police-Hisar to look into the grievances of the petitioners as set out in the petition and also expressed in the representation (Annexure P-6) and take appropriate action for protection of their life and liberty as may be warranted by the circumstances.

Registry is directed to send a copy of this order along with copy of the petition and above-said representation to respondent No. 2-Senior Superintendent of Police, Hisar for requisite compliance.

19.12.2019

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(ARUN KUMAR TYAGI)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No

Whether reportable : Yes/No