

Sr.No.111

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

CRWP-667-2020

Date of decision:21.01.2020

Shobha Rani and another

... Petitioner(s)

versus

State of Punjab and others

... Respondent (s)

Coram: Hon'ble Mr. Justice Jasgurpreet Singh Puri

Present: Ms. Gurjinder, Advocate for
Ms. Mandeep K.Dhot, Advocate
for the petitioners.

Jasgurpreet Singh Puri, J.(Oral)

Petitioners claim that they have attained majority and married against the wishes of their family members. Apprehending threat to their life and liberty, they have filed the present petition for protection. Petitioners claim to have submitted a representation (Annexure P-5) dated 15.01.2020 in this regard to the Commissioner of Police, Ludhiana, District Ludhiana, Punjab.

Notice of motion to the Advocate General, Punjab.

On asking of the Court, Mr. M.S.Nagra, AAG, Punjab accepts notice on behalf of the State. Copy supplied.

Heard. The petitioners have placed on record Matriculation Certificates of petitioners No.1 and 2 (Annexures P-1 and P-2) and the petitioners have also produced on record copy of their marriage certificate (Annexure P-3), photographs (Annexure P-4).

This petition is disposed of with a direction to the Commissioner of Police, Ludhiana, District Ludhiana, Punjab, to look into

the representation Annexure P-5 dated 15.01.2020 and ensure that no harm is caused to the petitioners.

However, it is made clear that this order shall not be treated as stamp of the Court about the marriage of the parties and no opinion regarding the validity of the marriage has been expressed.

21st January, 2020
Shivani Kaushik

[JASGURPREET SINGH PURI]
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned *Yes/No*

Whether Reportable *Yes/No*