

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH

Criminal Misc.-M-1448 of 2020  
Date of Decision: February 10, 2020.

Anjali Rathore and another

.....Petitioners

versus

State of Punjab and others

.....Respondents

**CORAM: HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE VIVEK PURI.**

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Present: Mr.G.S.Dhaliwal, Advocate, for the petitioners.  
Mr.Rajesh Bhardwaj, Senior DAG, Punjab for respondent  
Nos.1 to 3

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**Vivek Puri, J.** (Oral)

It has been stated by learned counsel for the petitioners that both the petitioner have attained the age for a valid marriage. The marriage of the petitioners has been solemnized on 09.02.2020. A copy of the marriage certificate dated 09.02.2020 (Annexure P-3) and photographs dated 09.02.2020 (Annexure P-4) are on record. The petitioners are stated to be residing at Dashmesh Nagar Kharar, Tehsil Kharar, District SAS Nagar Mohali, which is also evident from the copy of the marriage certificate. Apprehending danger to their lives, at the instance of private respondent No.4 who is the father of petitioner No.2, the present petition has been instituted. The allegations are also substantiated with the affidavit of petitioner No.1

Notice of motion.

Let a copy of the petition be handed over to the learned State counsel during the course of day.

The present petition is disposed of with a direction to

respondent No.2 to look into the matter and if he finds that apprehension of

danger to the lives and personal liberty of the petitioners is real, he shall take appropriate steps to ensure their protection as he feels necessary, in such circumstances of the case.

This order is not to be construed as any opinion with regard to the age of the petitioners or factum or validity of their marriage or any civil or criminal proceedings.

February 10, 2020

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(VIVEK PURI)

JUDGE

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| Whether speaking/reasoned | : | Yes/No |
| Whether Reportable        | : | Yes/No |