

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

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CRWP-3228-2020

Date of Decision:01.06.2020

Navpreet Kaur and another

.....Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and others

.....Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE HARI PAL VERMA.

Present: Mr. Balkar Singh, Advocate,
for the petitioners.

HARI PAL VERMA, J.(Oral)

The matter has been taken up for hearing through video conferencing due to outbreak of COVID-19.

Prayer in this criminal writ petition filed under Articles 226/227 is for issuance of directions to respondents No.2 and 3 to protect the life and liberty of the petitioners at the hands of respondent No.4 and 5.

Learned counsel for the petitioners contends that the petitioners are major and have solemnized their marriage in accordance with law. However, the private respondents are not accepting their marriage and are adamant to separate them from each other by resorting to illegal means. Learned counsel further submits that in view of imminent danger to the life and liberty of the petitioners, they have moved a representation dated 24.05.2020(Annexure P-5) to respondent No.2-Senior Superintendent of Police, Fatehgarh Sahib.

Notice of motion to respondents No.1 to 3 only at this stage.

At the asking of the Court, Ms. Monika Jalota, DAG, Punjab,

accepts notice on behalf of respondents No.1 to 3. She submits that she has not been supplied complete copy of the present petition.

Learned counsel for the petitioners is directed to supply requisite number of copies of paper book to learned State counsel within a week from today.

Without going into the validity of the marriage of the petitioners, the present petition is disposed of with a direction to the respondent No.2 – Senior Superintendent of Police, Fatehgarh Sahib to take appropriate remedial measures on the representation dated 24.05.2020 (Annexure P-5) submitted by the petitioners as warranted by law.

June 01, 2020
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(HARI PAL VERMA)
JUDGE

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