

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CRWP No.3552 of 2020 (O&M)
Date of Decision :09.06.2020

Anjali Rani and another

.....Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others

..... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE ARUN PALLI, JUDGE

Present : Mr. Impinder Singh Dhaliwal, Advocate
for the petitioners.

Mr. Bhupinder Singh Beniwal, AAG, Punjab.

(The aforesaid presence is being recorded through video
conferencing since the proceedings are being conducted in
virtual Court)

ARUN PALLI, J. (Oral):

CRM-W-340-2020

Allowed as prayed for subject to all just exceptions.

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The petitioners pray for a mandamus commanding the
respondents No.1 to 3 to protect their lives and personal safety.

Concededly, petitioner No.1 i.e. Anjali Rani is a minor for her
date of birth 27.10.2002 and the petitioner No.2 is alleged to be more than
18 years.

In brief, the case set out in the petition is that petitioners were
in a relationship and they alleged to have married on 4.6.2020 at Gurudwara
Har Prabh Sahib, Harjinder Nagar, Ward No.26, Malout, Tehsil Malout,
District Sri Muktsar Sahib (Punjab). The limited prayer with which the

petitioners have approached this Court is: for the family of petitioner No.1 (respondents No.4 to 8) has refused to accept their relationship and rather the petitioners have been threatened that they will be eliminated, they apprehend danger to their lives and liberty. The petitioners had even represented to Senior Superintendent of Police, Sri Muktsar Sahib (respondent No.2) vide representation dated 4.6.2020 (Annexure P-5) in this regard, but to no avail.

Given the nature of the limited issue involved and the order I propose to pass, neither any formal notice to the respondents nor their response would be necessary at this stage.

Thus, without commenting upon the validity of the alleged marriage as also the allegations/assertions made in the petition, the same is disposed of only with a direction to the Senior Superintendent of Police, Sri Muktsar Sahib (respondent No.2), that if any such representation, as indicated above, is indeed pending consideration, the same shall be considered forthwith and appropriate orders in accordance with law shall be passed.

(ARUN PALLI)
JUDGE

09.06.2020

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Whether speaking/reasoned
Whether reportable

Yes/No
Yes/No