

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

(214)

CRWP-4073-2020

Date of Decision: July 09, 2020

Harpreet Kaur and another

.. Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and others

.. Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI

Present: Ms. Ritu Punj, Advocate, for the petitioners.

Mr. Rana Harjasdeep Singh, DAG, Punjab.

Mr. Naveen Sharma, Advocate, for respondent No.7.

Mr. Tribhuvan Singla, Advocate, for respondents No. 8 & 9.

(presence marked through video conference).

HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI, J.(ORAL)

The petition has been taken for hearing through video conference due to Covid-19 pandemic.

Petitioners who are in a live-in relationship, have filed the present petition seeking the protection of their life and liberty, as they apprehended threat to the same at the hands of respondents No. 7 to 10. As per the averments made in the petition, petitioner No.1 is married to respondents No. 7 and respondents No. 8 and 9 are parents of petitioner No.2.

Learned counsel for petitioner No.1 submits that as the in-laws as well as husband of petitioner No.1 were maltreating her, she started living with petitioner No.2. Learned counsel for the petitioner further submits that both the petitioners want to live together but the private respondents are against the same and are threatening the petitioners with dire

consequences and hence the petitioners have threat to their life and liberty at the hands of private respondents No. 7 to 10.

Learned counsel for respondent No.7 submits that petitioner No.1 is legally wedded wife of respondent No.7 and respondent No.7 who is a responsible citizen will only undertake the legal recourse for the redressal of his grievance and will not act in any manner, which will cause any danger to the life and liberty of the petitioners.

Learned counsel for respondents No. 8 and 9 also submits that they are responsible and law-abiding citizens and will never act in any manner which will endanger to the life and liberty of the petitioners.

Learned counsel for the petitioners submits that keeping in view the statement given on behalf of respondents No. 7 to 9, she does not press this petition any further.

In view of the above, the present petition is disposed of having been not pressed.

It is made clear that the respondents will be bound by their statements recorded above.

(HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI)
JUDGE

July 09, 2020
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Whether speaking/reasoned:	Yes/No
Whether reportable:	Yes/No