

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

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**CRWP No.4293 of 2020
Decided on : 01.07.2020**

Renu Dalpatiyani and another

... Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and others

... Respondents

CORAM : HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE G.S. SANDHAWALIA

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

(The proceedings have been conducted through
video conferencing, as per instructions.)

G.S. Sandhawalia, J. (Oral)

In the present petition filed under Article 226/227 of the Constitution of India, the petitioners seek directions to provide protection to the life and liberty from the private respondents No. 4 to 6, who are relatives of petitioner No.1, on account of their marriage which has taken place on 27.06.2020 as per Hindu Rites at Shiv Durga Mandir village Ferozpur, Sector 19, Panchkula. The marriage certificate and photographs of the marriage have been appended as Annexures P-3 and P-4, respectively.

The petitioners are stated to be major, as the date of birth of petitioner No.1 is 20.09.1990 as per Aadhaar Card (Annexure P-1) and the date of birth of petitioner No.2 is 06.01.1996 as per Aadhaar Card (Annexure P-2).

A representation dated 27.06.2020 (Annexure P-5) has also been filed with respondent No.2 in this regard.

Notice of motion.

Mr. SPS Tinna, Addl. AG, Punjab accepts notice on behalf of the respondents/State.

After hearing counsel for the petitioners, without commenting upon the validity/legality of the marriage or the age of the petitioners and in view of the binding precedent of the **Hon'ble Apex Court in Lata Singh Vs. State of U.P. and another 2006(2) SCC (Criminal) 478**, the present petition is disposed of with the direction to respondent No.2 to look into the above said representation filed by the petitioners and take appropriate action in accordance with law and provide protection, if so required.

JULY 01, 2020
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(G.S. SANDHAWALIA)
JUDGE

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