IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH

CRWP No.4518 of 2020 (O&M)
DECIDED ON : 08.07.2020

Sham Kaur Mukta & Another **...Petitioners**

Versus

State of Haryana & Ors. **...Respondents**

CORAM:- HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE GIRISH AGNIHOTRI.

Present:- Mr. DPS Joura, Advocate, for the petitioners.

Mr. Deepak Bhardwaj, DAG, Haryana.

GIRISH AGNIHOTRI, J. (ORAL)

The matter has been taken up through video-conferencing on account of lockdown due to outbreak of pandemic COVID-19.

The petitioners, namely, Sham Kaur Mukta and Rupinder who claim themselves to be major have filed the present petition *inter alia* praying for protection of their life and liberty since they approached threat to the same having married against the wishes of their parents and relatives.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that in this regard, a detailed representation (Annexure P-4) was submitted to respondent No.2-Senior Superintendent of Police, Sirsa (Haryana).

While refraining from making any expression as regards the veracity of the averments made in the petition, the petition is disposed of with a direction that in case the petitioners approach the police authorities concerned with above representation with regard to their alleged threat perception, the same shall be got examined by Senior Superintendent of Police, Sirsa (Haryana) (respondent No.2), expeditiously in accordance with

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law and necessary steps as may be warranted under the facts and circumstances of the case be taken thereupon forthwith.

A copy of this order be sent to Senior Superintendent of Police, Sirsa (Haryana) (respondent No.2), so as to enable the said authority to do the needful expeditiously.

Needless to say that the aforesaid order shall not be construed to be an expression as regards the validity of the alleged marriage of the parties.

(GIRISH AGNIHOTRI)
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Whether speaking/reasoned : YES/NO
Whether reportable : YES/NO

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