

**In The High Court for the States of Punjab and Haryana
At Chandigarh**

CRWP-5199-2020 (O&M)
Date of Decision:- 24.7.2020

Sonia and another ... Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and others ... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE GURVINDER SINGH GILL

Present:- Mr. Rishu Mahajan, Advocate, for the petitioners.

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

GURVINDER SINGH GILL, J.(Oral)

Sonia aged 17 years and 9 months and Amritpal Singh aged 21 years 10 months have approached this Court seeking protection of their lives as they apprehend threat to the same, having married against the wishes of their parents and relatives.

The petitioners have already made representation dated 20.7.2020 (Annexure P-3) to the police.

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 to Commissioner of Police, Amritsar, District Amritsar Rural (respondent No.2) to get the alleged threat perception of the petitioners examined expeditiously, in accordance with 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 Commissioner of Police, Amritsar, District Amritsar Rural (respondent No.2), so as to enable him to do the needful expeditiously.

It is however, clarified that the aforesaid order shall not be construed to be an expression as regards validity of the alleged marriage of the parties.

(GURVINDER SINGH GILL)
JUDGE

July 24, 2020
mohan

Whether speaking /reasoned Yes / No

Whether Reportable Yes / No