

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

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CRWP-5250-2020

Date of Decision: 27.07.2020.

Jagtar Singh and another

....Petitioners.

Versus

State of Punjab and others

....Respondents.

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SUVIR SEHGAL

Present: Mr. Puneet Sharma, Advocate for the petitioners.

Suvir Sehgal, J. (Oral)

The Court has been convened through video conferencing due to Covid-19 pandemic.

Jagtar Singh and Rajwinder Kaur, the petitioners before this Court, claim themselves to be major. Petitioner No.1 was married with Amandeep Kaur, but the marriage ended in a divorce. A decree of divorce by mutual consent was passed on 01.12.2014 (Annexure P9). The petitioners have pleaded that they have married against the wishes of respondents No.4 to 6 and seek protection to their life and liberty. They apprehend danger from respondents No.4 to 6. They have placed on record photographs and marriage certificate, Annexures P4 to P6 and Annexure P7 respectively, evidencing their marriage. The petitioners have submitted a representation, Annexure P-8 to Senior Superintendent of Police, Sangrur.

Without entering upon an exercise to evaluate the evidentiary value of the documents placed on the file, the petition is disposed of with a

direction to respondent No.2 to decide the representation of the petitioners, Annexure P-8 and grant them protection, if any threat to their life and liberty is perceived. It is made clear that this order shall not be taken to protect the petitioners from legal action for violation of law if any committed by them.

(SUVIR SEHGAL)
JUDGE

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Whether speaking/ reasoned : Yes/ No

Whether Reportable : Yes/ No