

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

CRWP-6536-2020 (O&M)

Date of Decision : August 28, 2020

Rahuna and another

..... PETITIONER(S)

VERSUS

State of Haryana and others

.... RESPONDENT(S)

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SANJAY KUMAR

Present: Mr. Talim Hussain, Advocate, for the petitioners.
 Mr. Rajneesh Chadwal, Assistant Advocate General, Haryana.

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Sanjay Kumar, J.

CRM-W-805-2020

The application is ordered.

Exemption is granted as prayed for.

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As this Court does not propose to go into the merits of the claim made by the petitioners or the veracity thereof, it would not be necessary to put the unofficial respondents on notice or afford them an opportunity of hearing.

The petitioners are both majors. They filed copies of their Aadhar Cards in proof of the same. They claim to be in a live-in

Relationship. The cause for filing of this writ petition is their apprehension

that the relations of the first petitioner, who are inimical to their relationship, may cause harm to their lives and liberty. The petitioners claim to have made a representation to the Superintendent of Police, Nuh, Nuh (respondent No.2) in this regard.

Trite to state, it is the bounden duty and obligation of the State to protect the lives and liberty of the people.

The writ petition is accordingly disposed of directing the Superintendent of Police, Nuh, Nuh (respondent No.2), to take appropriate action, as warranted and in accordance with law, upon the representation dated 20.08.2020 (Annexure P-4), and to extend adequate protection to the lives and liberty of the petitioners, if necessary. It shall be open to the police authorities concerned to verify and confirm the identity of the petitioners and their claim.

It is made clear that this Court has not gone into the validity or legality of the relationship claimed by the petitioners and this order shall not be construed as this Court's approval of the said relationship or certification of its validity.

No order as to costs.

August 28, 2020
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(Sanjay Kumar)
Judge

Whether speaking/reasoned	Yes/No
Whether reportable	Yes/No