

CRWP No.7080 of 2020
Date of decision : 11.09.2020

Rani Kaur and another

...Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and others

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JITENDRA CHAUHANPresent: Mr. Kamaldip Singh Sidhu, Advocate and
Mr. Amardeep Singh, Advocate, for the petitioners

JITENDRA CHAUHAN, J. (Oral)

The matter has been taken up through video-conferencing in the light of the pandemic Covid-19 situation and as per instructions.

Learned counsel for the petitioners contends that the petitioners are major and there is no legal impediment to their marriage. The earlier marriage of petitioner No.1 with respondent No.7 Pargat Singh has been dissolved by a decree of divorce by way of mutual consent vide a judgment dated 19.03.2019 (Annexure P-4). The petitioners have solemnized marriage on 07.09.2020. Their marriage is opposed by respondent Nos. 4 to 14, who are the family members and relatives of petitioner No.1.

Notice of motion.

At the asking of the Court, Mr. Mehardeep Singh, Additional Advocate General, Punjab, accepts notice on behalf of the respondent Nos.1 to 3.

Without expressing any opinion with regard to validity of marriage and on the merits of the assertions made in the petition, the instant petition is disposed of with the direction to respondent No.2-Senior

Superintendent of Police, Moga to take necessary action on the representation dated 07.09.2020 (Annexure P-4) moved by petitioner No.1 and provide necessary protection to the petitioners in accordance with law, in case, he is satisfied that the life and liberty of the petitioners is threatened at the hands of respondent Nos.4 to 14.

(JITENDRA CHAUHAN)
JUDGE

11.09.2020

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