

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH**

**CRWP No.7326 of 2020
Date of Decision: 18.09.2020**

Manpreet Kaur and another

..... Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and others

..... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE MEENAKSHI I. MEHTA

Present: Mr. D. S. Nigha, Advocate
for the petitioners.

Mr. Prabhjot Singh Walia, AAG, Punjab.

(Heard through Video Conferencing)

MEENAKSHI I. MEHTA J. (ORAL)

By way of instant petition, the petitioners have sought the indulgence of this Court for issuance of direction to respondents No.2 and 3 to protect their life and liberty as they apprehend threat to the same at the hands of respondents No.4 to 6 because they (petitioners) have solemnized their marriage against the wishes of these respondents. It has also been mentioned in the petition that the petitioners have already moved a representation (Annexure P-4) to respondent No.2-the Senior Superintendent of Police, District Fatehgarh Sahib, on 14.09.2020, in this regard.

Notice of motion to respondents No.1 to 3 only.

Mr. Prabhjot Singh Walia, AAG, Punjab, at the asking of the Court, accepts notice on behalf of respondents No.1 to 3.

Heard.

Learned counsel for the petitioners restricts his prayer to issuance of a direction to respondent No.2 to take appropriate action on the said representation dated 14.09.2020 (Annexure P-4).

Learned counsel for the State has no objection for the same.

Accordingly, without expressing any opinion on the legality and validity of the marriage, as stated to have been solemnized between the petitioners, respondent No.2-the Senior Superintendent of Police, Fatehgarh Sahib, is hereby directed to look into the said representation dated 14.09.2020 (Annexure P-4) and if it is found that the petitioners genuinely deserve any protection, then to take appropriate action in accordance with law.

This petition stands disposed of.

September 18, 2020

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JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned: Yes/No

Whether reportable: Yes/No