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

**CRWP-7724-2020 (O&M)
Date of decision: 09.11.2020**

Jagdeep Kaur and another

... Petitioners

Vs.

State of Punjab and others

... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN

Present: Mr. Shivoy Dhir, Advocate
for the petitioners.

Mr. Joginder Pal Ratra, DAG, Punjab.

Mr. Barjinder Singh, Advocate
for respondents No.4 to 7.

ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN, J. (ORAL)

Prayer in this petition is for issuance of directions to officials respondents to protect the lives and liberty of the petitioners at the hands of respondents No.4 to 7, who are parents and relatives of petitioner No.1.

Petitioner No.1 Jagdeep Kaur, aged about 20 years and petitioner No.2 Lovepreet, aged about 19 years, have filed this petition with the averments that they are living in live-in relationship and will perform marriage on attaining the marriageable age.

On 28.09.2020, respondent No.2 was directed to consider and decide the representation dated 24.09.2020 (Annexure P-3) of the petitioners in accordance with law and provide protection to their lives and liberty.

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Reply by way of affidavit of DSP, Sub Division Dhuri, District Sangrur is on record and in this reply, though it is stated that the petitioners have performed marriage; a fact, which is disputed by learned counsel for the petitioners, as they are living in live-in relationship, however, it is stated that private respondents have made a statement that they have no objection with so-called marriage between the petitioners. It is further stated that even statements of the petitioners have been recorded, wherein petitioner No.1 has stated that she is residing with her husband Lovepreet and do not want any protection.

In view of the above, this petition is disposed of as having been rendered as infructuous.

**[ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN]
JUDGE**

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Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No

Whether Reportable : Yes/No