

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

**CRWP-7865-2020 (O&M)
Date of Decision : 01.10.2020**

Harjinder Kaur and another

..... Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and others

..... Respondents

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ASHOK KUMAR VERMA

Present : Mr. Neesh Garg, Advocate for the petitioners.
Mr. Mehardeep Singh, Addl. A.G., Punjab

ASHOK KUMAR VERMA, J. (Oral)

Case has been taken up for hearing through video conferencing due to the outbreak of Pandemic COVID-19.

Through this petition under Article 226 of the Constitution of India read with Section 482 Cr.P.C., prayer has been made for issuance of direction to respondents No.1 and 2 to safeguard the life and liberty of the petitioners as they have got married against the wishes of respondents No.3 to 10 on 26.09.2020.

The contents of the petition alongwith Annexures thereof have been perused. The present petition is disposed of with a direction to respondent No.1-State of Punjab through Senior Superintendent of Police Bathinda, that the contents of the representation dated 27.09.2020 (Annexure P-5) seeking protection of life and liberty be duly verified and if necessary, requisite steps be taken strictly in accordance with law for grant of protection of life and liberty of the petitioners. It is clarified that this order shall neither be treated as a stamp of this Court qua marriage of the petitioners nor any reflection on the merits of the contentions raised by them in the present petition.

**(ASHOK KUMAR VERMA)
JUDGE**

01.10.2020

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Whether speaking/reasoned

Yes/No

Whether Reportable

Yes/No