

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH

CRWP-8785-2020

Date of decision : 23.10.2020

Sudha Kumari and another

... Petitioners

VERSUS

State of Punjab and others

... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE KARAMJIT SINGH

Present: Mr. L.S.Lakhanpal, Advocate,
for the petitioners.

KARAMJIT SINGH, J.(Oral)

Case has been heard through video conferencing on account of
COVID-19 Pandemic.

This petition has been filed to issue necessary direction to
respondents No.2 and 3 to protect their life and liberty which is endangered
at the hands of respondents No.4 to 6.

The case of the petitioner is that petitioner No.1-Sudha Kumari
is 18 years of age while petitioner No.2 is 20 years of age and they are in
live-in-relationship. Respondents No.4 to 6 who are related to petitioner
No.1 are giving threats to the petitioners. The petitioners in this regard have
already given representation dated 16.10.2020 (Annexure P-3) to
respondent No.2, i.e., Commissioner of Police, Ludhiana.

Notice of motion.

Mr. Pawan Sharda, Sr. DAG, Punjab, accepts notice on behalf
of the State.

Both the petitioners are major and intends to get married as and
when petitioner No.2 attains the marriageable age.

Learned counsel for the petitioners as well as State have submitted that necessary direction be given to the concerned police officer to look into the matter and decide the application/representation (Annexure P-3), moved by the petitioners.

In the light of the aforesaid, this criminal writ petition is hereby disposed of with direction to respondent No.2-Commissioner of Police, Ludhiana to look into the matter and decide application/representation (Annexure P-3), moved by the petitioners, in accordance with law, by passing a speaking order and if necessary, to provide proper security to the petitioners to protect their life and liberty from respondents No.4 to 6.

October 23, 2020
Paritosh Kumar

(KARAMJIT SINGH)
JUDGE

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