

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

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**CRWP No. 9955 of 2020
Date of Decision: 01.12.2020**

POOJA RANI AND ANR

.....Petitioners

Vs

STATE OF PUNJAB AND OTHERS

.....Respondents

CORAM: *HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJ MOHAN SINGH*

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

RAJ MOHAN SINGH, J.(Oral)

The case has been taken up for hearing through video conferencing.

Petitioners have prayed for issuance of necessary directions to the official respondents for protecting their civil/personal rights and liberties from being invaded by the private respondents. Petitioners are stated to have solemnized marriage on 22.11.2020 and claimed themselves to be married.

Precisely, in the context of aforesaid relief, petitioners have approached the Senior Superintendent of Police, Ferozepur /respondent No.2 by way of representation dated 23.11.2020.

Notice of motion.

At this state, Mr.Amar Ashok Pathak, Addl..A.G., Punjab and Mr.Hoshier Singh, Advocate for respondent No.4 appeared and stated that the date of birth of petitioner No.1 is in fact 14.04.2004 and she is still minor. FIR has been registered against petitioner No.2 for the offence under Sections 363, 366-A, 120-B IPC at Police Station Makhu District Ferozepur.

At this stage, without meaning anything in the context of validity of marriage and majority of the petitioners, it would be just and appropriate to direct respondent No.2 to look into the representation (if any) received by him and pass an appropriate order on merits in accordance with law. Respondent No.2 would pass necessary order without being influenced by any pleadings made in the petition.

This order shall not debar the official respondents from proceeding against any of the parties, if they are involved in any other case. It would be appreciated if the needful is done within a period of one month from the date of receipt of certified copy of this order.

Petition stands disposed of accordingly.

(RAJ MOHAN SINGH)
JUDGE

December 01, 2020

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Whether speaking/reasoned Yes/No

Whether reportable Yes/No