

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

(1) CRWP No.2410 of 2019 (O&M)
Lokender ...Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana and others
...Respondents

(2) CRWP No.2203 of 2019 (O&M)
Lokender ...Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana and others
...Respondents

(3) CRWP No.53 of 2020 (O&M)
Aarti ...Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana and others
...Respondents

Date of decision: 22.01.2020

CORAM: HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE H.S. MADAAN

Present: Mr. S.K. Tripathi, Advocate for the petitioner.
Mr. Kuldeep Sharma, DAG, Haryana.
Mr. J.P. Sharma, Advocate for respondents No.6 & 7.
Mr. Rajeev Anand, Addl. PP for UT Chandigarh.

H.S. MADAAN, J. (Oral)

This order will dispose of above mentioned petitions as the
issue involved is same in all the petitions.

Learned State counsel has submitted that FIR No.376 dated
15.11.2019 for offence under Section 366 IPC against petitioner

Lokender has since been cancelled and the petitioner-Lokender and detenue Aarti are not required to be arrested by the local police in this case.

Learned counsel representing respondents No.6 & 7 states that such respondents, who are parents of Aarti, have neither hurled out any threat to petitioner Lokender or Aarti nor would they do so.

Under the circumstances, there is no necessity of keeping the petitioner Lokender or Aarti in Protection Home at Chandigarh.

Learned counsel for the petitioner states that a direction be issued to the local police to get the marriage of petitioner Lokender with Aarti solemnized under police protection. Such direction cannot possibly be issued as per law. The present petitions do not survive and are dismissed. However, Superintendent of Police, Mahendergarh Camp at Narnaul is directed to assess the threat perception to petitioner Lokender and Aarti and take suitable action, if need be.

Since, learned counsel for the petitioner has stated that the petitioner Lokender and Aarti apprehend danger to their lives in Chandigarh even, SHO of Police Station Sector 3, Chandigarh is directed to ensure that no physical harm is caused to both of them and they are escorted to a safe place of their choice from Chandigarh.

A copy of this order be given under signatures of Bench Secretary of this Court.

22.01.2020

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(H.S. MADAAN)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned :

Yes

No

Whether Reportable :

Yes

No