

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

CRWP-1100-2021(O&M)

Date of decision: 04.02.2021

Anju and another

...Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and others

.....Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARNARESH SINGH GILL

Present: Petitioners in person.

HARNARESH SINGH GILL, J. (ORAL)

Case is taken up for hearing through video conferencing.

This petition has been filed under Articles 226/227 of the Constitution of India for directing the official respondents to protect the life and liberty of the petitioners at the hands of respondents No. 4 to 7.

The petitioners state that they are major and have married against the wishes of respondents No. 4 to 7 and have sought protection to their life and liberty. They apprehend danger at the hands of respondents No. 4 to 7. The certificate, evidencing their marriage is on record as Annexure P-3. The petitioners have submitted a representation dated 29.01.2021 (Annexure P-4) to Senior Superintendent of Police, Kapurthala -respondent No. 2.

Without entering upon an exercise to evaluate the evidentiary value of the documents placed on the file, I dispose of the petition with directions to Senior Superintendent of Police, Kapurthala-respondent No.

2 to decide the representation of the petitioners dated 29.01.2021 (Annexure P-4) and grant them protection, if any threat to their life and liberty is perceived.

It is made clear that this order shall not be taken to protect the petitioners from legal action for violation of law, if any, committed by them.

(HARNARESH SINGH GILL)
JUDGE

04.02.2021

Mangal Singh

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