

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

**CRWP-2943-2021 (O&M)
DECIDED ON: 17th AUGUST, 2021**

POOJA AND ANOTHER

.....PETITIONERS

VERSUS

STATE OF PUNJAB AND OTHERS

.....RESPONDENTS

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE AVNEESH JHINGAN.

Present: Mr. Sanjeev Virk, Advocate for the petitioners.

Ms. Monika Jalota, DAG, Punjab.

Mr. Ravi Malhotra, Advocate
for the applicant in CRM-W-466-467-468-2021.

AVNEESH JHINGAN, J (ORAL)

[1] The matter is taken up for hearing through video conference due to COVID-19 situation.

[2] This petition was filed for issuance of directions to the official respondents for protection of life and liberty of the petitioners from the private respondents arrayed in the petition.

[3] As per the pleadings, the petitioners had performed marriage against the wishes of their parents, hence, there is a threat perception.

[4] Para 13 of the petition is reproduced below:-

“13 That the petitioners have not married earlier and this is their first marriage which has been solemnized on 19.03.2021 before the filing of present petition before this Hon'ble Court.”

[5] Now the applications have been moved by the applicant-Ajaib Singh (husband of petitioner No.1) for impleadment, for placing on record the documents to show that there is a valid marriage between petitioner No.1 and the applicant and also to initiate criminal proceedings against the petitioners.

[6] Learned counsel for the petitioners at this stage seeks permission to withdraw the present petition.

[7] Dismissed as withdrawn.

[8] However, the applicant/Ajaib Singh and the State would be at liberty, if so advised to avail necessary remedies in accordance with law.

[9] Since the main petition has been dismissed as withdrawn, the applications shall also stands disposed of.

17th AUGUST, 2021
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(AVNEESH JHINGAN)
JUDGE

<i>Whether speaking/reasoned</i>	<i>Yes</i>
<i>Whether reportable</i>	<i>No</i>