

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

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**CRWP-3646-2021(O&M)
Decided on : 15.04.2021**

LOVEPREET KAUR AND ANR

. . . Petitioner(s)

Versus

STATE OF PUNJAB AND OTHERS

. . . Respondent(s)

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE VIVEK PURI

*(The case has been taken up through video conferencing on account of
COVID-19 pandemic)*

Present: Mr. Shehbaz Thind, Advocate
for the petitioners.

VIVEK PURI, J. (Oral)

It has been stated that both the petitioners have attained the age for a valid marriage. The marriage of the petitioners has been solemnized on 08.04.2021. Copy of Aadhar card, marriage certificate and photographs are on record. The petitioners are stated to be residing at Haridas Colony, Nabha, Patiala. Apprehending danger to their lives, at the instance of private respondents who are the relatives of the petitioners, the present petition has been instituted. The allegations are also substantiated with the affidavits of both the petitioners.

Notice of motion to official respondents only.

On the asking of the Court, Mr. Hittan Nehra, Addl. A.G. Punjab, accepts notice on behalf of the respondent-State.

The present petition is disposed of with a direction to respondent No.2-Senior Superintendent of Police, Patiala to look into the matter and if he finds that apprehension of danger to the lives and personal liberty of the petitioners is real, he shall take appropriate steps to ensure

their protection as he feels necessary, in such circumstances of the case.

This order is not to be construed as any opinion with regard to the age of the petitioners or factum or validity of their marriage or any civil or criminal proceedings.

(VIVEK PURI)
JUDGE

April 15, 2021

S.Sharma(syr)

Whether speaking/reasoned: *Yes/No*

Whether Reportable: *Yes/No*