

CRWP-3983-2021

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

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Date of Decision: 27.04.2021

Sakeena and another

... Petitioners

Versus

Union Territory, Chandigarh and others

... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARNARESH SINGH GILL

Present: Mr.Arun Sharma, Advocate,
for the petitioners.

HARNARESH SINGH GILL, J.(Oral)

Case is taken up for hearing through Video Conferencing.

This petition has been filed under Article 226 of the Constitution for issuance of a writ in the nature of mandamus directing respondents No.2 and 3 to protect the life and liberty of the petitioners at the hands of respondents No.4 and 5.

Learned counsel for the petitioners states that both the petitioners are major and have married against the wishes of respondents No.4 and 5 and have sought protection to their life and liberty. They apprehend danger at the hands of respondents No.4 and 5. The certificate and photographs, evidencing their marriage, are on record as Annexures P-4 and P-5, respectively. The petitioners have submitted a representation dated 22.04.2021 (Annexure P-6) to respondent No.2-Senior Superintendent of Police, Chandigarh.

Notice of motion.

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On the asking of this Court, Ms. Vasundhara Dalal Anand, APP U.T. Chandigarh, accepts notice on behalf of respondents No.1 to 3.

At this stage, Mr. Gautam Kaile, Advocate, puts in an appearance on behalf of respondents No.4 and 5, and submits that they have no objection to the marriage of the petitioners. However, they want to meet both the petitioners.

Learned counsel for the petitioners and learned A.P.P. U.T. Chandigarh, submit that they have no objection, if the said prayer of respondents No.4 and 5 is allowed.

Without entering upon an exercise to evaluate the evidentiary value of the documents placed on the file, I dispose of the present petition with a direction to respondent No.2-Senior Superintendent of Police, Chandigarh, to decide the representation dated 22.04.2021 (Annexure P-6) moved by the petitioners, and grant protection to them, 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.

Respondent No.3-Station House Officer, Police Station Mani Majra, Chandigarh, is directed to arrange the meeting of the petitioners with respondents No.4 and 5 in the premises of the police station on 28.04.2021 at 3.00 P.M. or any other date convenient to the concerned.

27.04.2021

parveen kumar

(HARNARESH SINGH GILL)
JUDGE

Note:	Whether speaking/reasoned	:	Yes/No
	Whether reportable	:	Yes/No