IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH

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CRWP-7334-2021 (O&M)
Date of Decision: 05.08.2021

JASPREET AND ANOTHER

... Petitioners

Versus

STATE OF PUNJAB AND OTHERS

... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARNARESH SINGH GILL

Present: Mr. Imran Ali, Advocate for
Mr. Bhupinder Banga, Advocate
for the petitioners.

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HARNARESH SINGH GILL, J.(Oral)

CRM-W-902-2021

Application is allowed, as prayed for.

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This petition has been filed seeking issuance of directions to 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 marriage certificate and photographs evidencing their marriage are on record as Annexures P-3 and P-4, respectively. The petitioners have submitted a representation dated 31.07.2021 (Annexure P-5) to respondent No.2-Commissioner of Police, Jalandhar and respondent No.3-Station House Officer, Police Station Apra, District Jalandhar.

Notice of motion to respondents No.1 to 3-State only.

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On the asking of this Court, Mr. Avtar Singh Sandhu, Addl. A.G. Punjab, accepts notice on behalf of respondents No.1 to 3.

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-Commissioner of Police, Jalandhar, to decide the representation dated 31.07.2021 (Annexure P-5) 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.

05.08.2021 **(HARNARESH SINGH GILL)**
Aman Jain **JUDGE**

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

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