

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

CRWP No. 10449 of 2021

DECIDED ON: 23rd November, 2021

Amarjit Kaur and another

.....PETITIONERS

VERSUS

State of Punjab and others

.....RESPONDENTS

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE AVNEESH JHINGAN.

Present: Mr. G.S. Simble, Advocate for petitioners.

Mr. Amit Mehta, Sr. DAG Punjab.

AVNEESH JHINGAN, J (ORAL)

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.

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

On 2nd November, 2021, the following order was passed:-

“Due to COVID-19 situation, the Court is convened through video conference.

Notice of motion to respondents No.1 to 3 only at this stage.

Ms. Bhavna Gupta, DAG Punjab, appearing on advance notice accepts the same and seeks time to have instructions.

Put up on 23.11.2021.

In the meantime, the police officials not below the rank of Deputy Superintendent of Police should record the statements of the petitioners.

In case a request is made by the petitioners, they may be provided shelter in safe house till the next date.”

Learned State counsel has filed reply by way of an affidavit of

Mr. Sukhpal Singh, Deputy Superintendent of Police, City Gurdaspur. Copy

of the same is taken on record.

Learned State counsel on instructions submits that the statements of the petitioners have been recorded. It is stated therein that there is no threat perception.

In view of above, no cause of action survives for pursuing the present petition.

Disposed of as infructuous.

23rd November, 2021

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**(AVNEESH JHINGAN)
JUDGE**

Whether speaking/reasoned *Yes/No*

Whether reportable *Yes/No*