

IN THE HIGH COURT FOR THE STATES OF PUNJAB AND
HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH

CRWP No.10747 of 2021 (O&M)

Date of Decision:12.11.2021

Navpreet Kaur and another

...Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and others

...Respondents

CORAM:- HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE JAISHREE THAKUR

Present:- Mr. Pawan Kumar, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. A.S. Gill, Sr. DAG, Punjab.

JAISHREE THAKUR, J. (ORAL)

The petitioners claim themselves to be major. They have pleaded that they have married against the wishes of respondents No.4 to 8 and seek protection to their life and liberty. They apprehend danger from respondents No.4 to 8. They have placed on record photographs (Annexure P-4) and marriage certificate (Annexure P-3) evidencing their marriage.

The petitioners have also submitted a representation dated 09.11.2021(Annexure P-5) to respondents No.2 and 3, but no action has been taken so far.

Notice of motion to the official respondents only.

At this stage, Mr. A.S. Gill, Sr. DAG Punjab, who is present in court, accepts notice on behalf of the official respondents. Let adequate copies of the paper book be supplied to him during the course of day.

Without entering upon an exercise to evaluate the evidentiary

value of the documents placed on the file, I dispose of this petition with directions to respondent No.2-Senior Superintendent of Police, Jalandhar to decide the representation of the petitioners (Annexure P-5) within a period of one week from the date of receipt of a copy of this order and grant them protection, 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.

November 12, 2021
P.Bhatt

(JAISHREE THAKUR)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned

Yes/No

Whether reportable

Yes/No