

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

(126)

CRWP-12350-2021
Date of decision:- 31.12.2021

Gurwinder Singh and another

...Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and others

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SUVIR SEHGAL

Present:- Mr. Kuldeep Singh Siwach, Advocate for the petitioners.

SUVIR SEHGAL, J. (Oral)

Gurwinder Singh son of Sadha Singh (petitioner No.1) claims to be 24 years and Manpreet Kaur daughter of Budh Singh (petitioner No.2) claims to be 17 years of age. They have pleaded that they are in live-in relationship against the wishes of respondents No. 4 and 5. They apprehend danger from them and seek protection of their life and liberty.

The petitioners have submitted a representation dated 27.12.2021, Annexure P-4, to respondent No.2 – Senior Superintendent of Police, Sangrur, District Sangrur. Learned counsel for the petitioners has relied upon a judgments of this Court in *CWP No.31834 of 2019 titled as “Megha and another vs. State of Haryana and others”* decided on 04.11.2019, *CRWP-4725-2021 titled “Seema Kaur and another Versus State of Punjab and others” decided on 03.06.2021 and Banshi Lal and another Versus State of Haryana and others, 2020(4) R.C.R. (Civil) 577.* and submitted that this Court has entertained petition for protection of couples in live-in relationship, even though one of them has not attained the age of majority.

Without entering upon an exercise to evaluate the evidentiary value of the documents placed on the file, the petition is disposed of with direction to respondent No.2 to decide the representation of the petitioners, Annexure P-4 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.

(SUVIR SEHGAL)
JUDGE

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