

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

**Criminal Writ Petition No.12300 of 2021.
Date of Decision: December 30, 2020**

Jyoti Rani and another

..... PETITIONER (s)

Versus

State of Haryana and others

..... RESPONDENT (s)

CORAM:- HON'BLE MRS.JUSTICE LISA GILL

Present: Mr. Bhupender Singh, Advocate
for the petitioners.

Mr. Hitesh Pandit, Addl. AG, Haryana.

LISA GILL, J.

Petitioners seek protection of their life and liberty as they apprehend danger at the hands of respondents No.4 & 5 and other relatives because they have solemnized marriage on 27.12.2021 against the wishes of said respondents.

Learned counsel for the petitioners submits that he has identified the petitioners as per the documents attached. It is further submitted that they have solemnized marriage with each other out of their own free will and volition and that this is their first marriage. It is contended that the petitioners are major, their dates of birth being 09.03.1999 and 13.08.1993, respectively. True copies of Aadhaar Card of both the petitioners have been appended with the petition as Annexures P-1 and P-2, respectively. A copy of the Marriage Certificate and the photographs of the marriage are on record as Annexures P-3 and P-4, respectively. It is submitted that there is no impediment to the marriage

of the petitioners. Petitioners, it is stated, have submitted representation dated 27.12.2021 (Annexure P-5) to respondent No.2 i.e., the Superintendent of Police, Jind, for redressal of their grievance but no action has been taken thereon.

Notice of motion to respondents no.1 to 3.

Mr. Hitesh Pandit, Addl. Advocate General, Haryana, accepts notice on behalf of respondents No.1 to 3. Advance copy of the petition stands served.

Without commenting upon the age of the petitioners or validity of their marriage or validity and genuineness of the certificates/documents appended with the petition, respondent No.2 – Superintendent of Police, Jind is directed to look into representation dated 27.12.2021 submitted by the petitioners and take appropriate action if any/as may be required, keeping in view the threat perception to the petitioners.

Petition is disposed of accordingly.

(LISA GILL)
JUDGE

30.12.2021
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Whether speaking/reasoned: Yes/No
Whether reportable: Yes/No