

Jaspreet Singh and another

.....Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and others

....Respondents

CORAM:- HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE LISA GILL

Present: Ms. Mandeep Kaur, Advocate for
Mr. Amninder Singh Cheema, Advocate for the petitioners.

Mr. Amit Mehta, Sr. DAG, Punjab.

LISA GILL, J.

Petitioners seek protection of their life and liberty as they apprehend danger at the hands of respondents No. 4 to 6 and other relatives because they have solemnised marriage on 23.12.2021 against the wishes of said respondents.

Learned counsel for the petitioners identifies the petitioners on the basis of documents attached. It is contended that the petitioners are major, their dates of birth being 18.04.1997 and 01.01.1994, respectively. Aadhar cards of both the petitioners are appended with the petition as Annexures P1 and P2, respectively. The photographs of the marriage and marriage certificate are on record as Annexures P-3 and P4. It is submitted that there is no impediment to the marriage of the petitioners. Petitioners, it is stated, submitted representation dated 27.12.2021 (Annexure P5) to respondent No.2 i.e., the Senior Superintendent of Police, Hoshiarpur, for redressal of their grievance but no action has been taken thereon.

Notice of motion to respondents No.1 to 3.

Mr. Amit Mehta, Sr. DAG, Punjab, 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 – Senior Superintendent of Police, Hoshiarpur 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.

December 30, 2021
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(LISA GILL)
JUDGE

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