

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH

CRWP-827-2022
Date of Decision: 31.01.2022

Niksha and another

....Petitioner(s)

Versus

State of Haryana and others

.....Respondent(s)

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JASGURPREET SINGH PURI

Present: Mr. Pardeep Panwar, Advocate, for the petitioners.

Through Video Conferencing

JASGURPREET SINGH PURI, J. (Oral)

The present petition has been filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India seeking a writ in the nature of mandamus directing the official respondents to protect the life and liberty of the petitioners at the hand of private respondent Nos. 4 to 6.

The learned counsel for the petitioners has submitted that the prayer of the petitioners be confined only to the extent of protection of lives of the petitioners and since they are living in a live-in-relationship because the petitioner No.2-boy is 20 years of age and 1 year is short of the permissible age of marriage, there is imminent threat from the private respondents. He submitted that both the petitioners intend to marry with each other after attaining the age of marriage and they may be protected in the meantime. He further submitted that the petitioners have made a representation (Annexure

P-3) dated 24.01.2022, in this regard to the Senior Superintendent of Police, Kaithal but no action has been taken.

Notice of motion to respondents Nos. 1 to 3 at this stage.

Mr. Naveen Singh Panwar, learned Deputy Advocate General, Haryana, accepts notice on behalf of the aforesaid respondents and states that he has no objection in case the representation (Annexure P- 3) be considered by the appropriate authority in accordance with law.

I have heard the learned counsel for the parties.

In view of the aforesaid factual position wherein the petitioners have confined the scope of the present petition only to the extent of protection of their lives, it is directed that respondent No.2 shall consider the representation of the petitioners in accordance with law and in case any threat is found, then appropriate action be taken in accordance with law.

The present petition stands disposed of.

31.01.2022

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(JASGURPREET SINGH PURI)

JUDGE

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