

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

**CRWP-1866-2022
Date of decision : 27.04.2022**

HARPREET KAUR AND ANOTHER

... Petitioners

Versus

STATE OF PUNJAB AND OTHERS

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JASJIT SINGH BEDI

Present: Mr. Varinder Basa, Advocate for the petitioners.

Mr. Sidakmeet Singh Sandhu, DAG, Punjab.

JASJIT SINGH BEDI, J. (ORAL)

The prayer in the present petition is for the issuance of a writ in the nature of mandamus directing the official respondent Nos.1 to 3 to protect the life and liberty of the petitioners from the private respondents.

Short reply dated 19.04.2022 has been filed on behalf of respondent Nos.1 to 3 by the learned State counsel by way of an affidavit of Deputy Superintendent of Police, Sub Division Fatehgarh Churian, Police District Batala and the same is taken on record.

As per the reply, in para 4 it is submitted that the petitioners are living together in 'live-in-relationship' and no one knows about the present address. It is also mentioned that the S.H.O. Police Station Qila Lal Singh has been given directions to ensure the protection of the life and liberty of the petitioners as and when the petitioners approach him in this regard. Further, reference is made to FIR No.17 dated 25.02.2022 registered under Sections 363 and 366-A IPC at Police Station Qila Lal Singh, which has been registered on the statement of Daljit Kaur

(respondent No.5 and mother of petitioner No.1) against Munish Kumar @ Panshi (petitioner No.2), in which petitioner No.2 is evading the arrest.

In view of the aforesaid facts, no further orders are required to be passed by this Court.

Disposed of.

(JASJIT SINGH BEDI)
JUDGE

27.04.2022
JITESH

Whether speaking/reasoned:- Yes/No

Whether reportable:- Yes/No