

**In the High Court for the States of Punjab and Haryana
At Chandigarh**

CRWP-5018-2022 (O&M)
Date of Decision:-25.5.2022

Gurpreet Kaur and another ... Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and others ... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE GURVINDER SINGH GILL

Present:- Mr. Amit Gupta, Advocate for the petitioners.

Mr. Tanvir Joshi, AAG, Punjab.

GURVINDER SINGH GILL, J.(Oral)

1. Petitioner No.1-Gurpreet Kaur aged 30 years, who is stated to have lost her husband in the year 2017 and petitioner No.2-Mangbir Singh aged 27 years have approached this Court seeking issuance of a direction to official respondents to protect their lives and liberty as they apprehend threat to the same at the hands of private respondents, having married against the wishes of their families.
2. Without commenting as regards the veracity of the averments made in the petition and also as regards the validity of alleged marriage of the petitioners, the petition is disposed of with a direction to respondent No.2-Commissioner of Police, District Amritsar, Punjab to look into the matter and to dispose off

the representation dated 22.5.2022 (Annexure P-6) in accordance with law.

In case, it is found that there is a genuine threat to the lives and liberty of the petitioners, then necessary steps warranted under law be taken thereupon at the earliest so as to ensure that no harm is caused to the petitioners.

3. A copy of this order alongwith copy of the representation dated 22.5.2022 (Annexure P-6) be sent to respondent No.2-Commissioner of Police, District Amritsar, Punjab so as to enable him to do the needful expeditiously.
4. It is, however, clarified that the aforesaid order shall not be taken to be any expression as regards the validity of marriage of the petitioners and shall not confer any immunity upon the petitioners, in case it is found that they have committed any wrong.

25.5.2022

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**(Gurvinder Singh Gill)
Judge**

Whether speaking /reasoned Yes / No

Whether Reportable Yes / No