

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

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CRWP-5505-2022 (O&M)
Date of decision: 20.07.2022

JOTI AND ANOTHER

....Petitioner(s)

Versus

STATE OF PUNJAB AND OTHERS

...Respondent(s)

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE VINOD S. BHARDWAJ

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

Mr. Karanbir Singh, AAG Punjab.

Mr. Ishmeet Singh, Advocate for
Mr. Sherry K. Singla, Advocate
for respondent Nos.4 to 11.

Mr. Nirmaljeet Singh Sidhu, Advocate
for respondent No.12 and 13.

VINOD S. BHARDWAJ. J. (ORAL)

Instant petition has been filed under Article 226/227 of the Constitution of India for issuance of writ in the nature of mandamus praying for issuance of directions to respondent Nos.2 and 3 for protection the life and liberty of the petitioners and further directions be issued to respondent No.2 and 3 not to harass the petitioners illegally at the behest of private respondents.

It is un-controverted that the petitioner No.1 is a juvenile in need of care and protection and that there are issues concerning the safety and security, even though a response has been filed by the respondent-State contending therein that the statement of the private respondents have been recorded wherein they have no objection to the petitioner No.1 staying with petitioner No.2 and that there is no threat to her, however, considering that the petitioner No.2 is not a

guardian appointed by law, learned counsel appearing on behalf of the petitioners contends that he would be satisfied in case directions in terms of judgment passed in the matter of **P..... Minor Through Vikram Vs State of Haryana and others** in **CRWP-2139-2022** dated 28.03.2022 are also passed in the present case.

In view of the same, the present petition is disposed of with directions as contained in the judgment of **P..... Minor Through Vikram Vs State of Haryana and others** in **CRWP-2139-2022** dated 28.03.2022.

The instant petition is accordingly disposed of.

(VINOD S. BHARDWAJ)
JUDGE

July 20, 2022

S.Sharma(syr)

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