

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH
CRWP No. 8395 of 2022 (O&M)
Date of Decision: 1st September, 2022**

Arti Devi and another

Petitioners

Versus

U.T., Chandigarh and others

Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE AVNEESH JHINGAN

Present: Mr. Rakesh Sharma, Advocate for the petitioners.
Mr. Shashank Bhandari, Addl. PP for UT, Chandigarh.

AVNEESH JHINGAN, J (Oral):

This petition is filed seeking directions to the official respondents to protect the life and liberty of the petitioners at the hands of private respondents (arrayed in the petition), who have solemnised marriage against the wishes of their parents.

In this petition, representation was given on 29.8.2022 and on the same day the petition was drafted even without giving reasonable time to the police authorities to act upon the representation.

However, Mr. Shashank Bhandari, Addl. PP for UT, Chandigarh appearing on advance notice submits that the statements of the petitioners have been recorded, wherein they have submitted that there is no threat perception.

In view of the statement made by learned counsel for UT, the petition is dismissed as mis-conceived.

Since the main case has been decided, pending applications, if any, render infructuous.

**[AVNEESH JHINGAN]
JUDGE**

1st September, 2022
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1. Whether speaking/ reasoned	:	Yes / No
2. Whether reportable	:	Yes / No