

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CRWP No. 10071 of 2022

Date of Decision: 18th November, 2022

Jashandeep Kaur and another

Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and others

Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE AVNEESH JHINGAN

Present: Mr. Munish Thakur, Advocate for the petitioners.
Mr. APS Tung, DAG, Punjab.

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), as they have solemnised marriage against the wishes of their parents.

Learned counsel for the State appearing on advance notice submits that the petitioners are not picking up phones and are not available on the given address. He further submits that father of petitioner No. 2 was contacted who stated that the petitioners are in Amritsar for making their passports. Submission is that in case petitioners approach the police authorities, action as warranted under law would be taken.

In view of the statement of counsel for the State, no further directions are called for.

The petition is disposed of.

There is no doubt that in eventuality of petitioners approaching the police authorities, the needful in accordance with law would be done

expeditiously.

It is clarified that this court has not commented upon the factum of marriage; validity of marriage of the petitioners, their age as aadhaar card is not the proof of date of birth or about threat perception.

18th November, 2022
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[AVNEESH JHINGAN]
JUDGE

1. Whether speaking/ reasoned

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Yes / No
2. Whether reportable

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Yes / No