

CrI. Writ Petition No. 1159 of 2023
Date of Decision: February 07, 2023

Harsh Marwaha and another

.....Petitioners

versus

State of U.T. Chandigarh and others

.....Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE SUDHIR MITTAL

Present: Mr. Abhishek Lubana, Advocate for the petitioners

Sudhir Mittal, J. (Oral)

The petitioners allege that they have performed their marriage against the wishes of their parents and, thus, they fear for their lives and liberty. A representation dated 18.11.2022 (Annexure P-4) has been submitted to respondent No. 2, but he has not taken any action thereupon.

Notice of motion to respondents No. 1 and 2 only.

Mr. Viranjeet Singh Mahal, Addl. P.P. for U.T. Chandigarh accepts notice on behalf of respondent-State.

Considering the nature of the order being passed, there is no necessity to serve the private respondent or to seek a reply from any of the respondents.

The petition is disposed of with a direction to respondent No. 2 to take into consideration the request of the petitioners made vide representation dated 18.11.2022 (Annexure P-4) and to provide necessary protection in case the facts of the case so dictate.

It is made clear that this order is not a bar on initiation of any proceedings in accordance with law nor is it an expression of opinion regarding the validity or otherwise of the marriage.

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JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No

Whether Reportable : Yes/No