

**112 IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH**

CRWP-3402-2023

Date of Decision: 12.04.2023

Runa and another

..... Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and others

.....Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJESH BHARDWAJ

Present: Mr. Pardeep Kumar Kapila, Advocate, for the petitioners.

Rajesh Bhardwaj, J. (ORAL)

The present petition has been filed under Article 226 of Constitution of India for protection of life and liberty of the petitioners and further directing respondents No.2 to 4 not to harass the petitioners illegally at the behest of respondents No.5 to 9.

Learned counsel for the petitioners states that both the petitioners are major but petitioner No.2 is not of marriagable age and are residing together against the wishes of respondents no.5 to 9 and have sought protection to their life and liberty. They apprehend danger from respondents no.5 to 9. The petitioners have submitted a representation dated 26.03.2023 (Annexure P-3) to respondent no.2.

Notice of motion to the official respondents only.

Mr. Sandeep Kumar, Deputy Advocate General, Punjab accepts notice on behalf of the State.

Without entering upon an exercise to evaluate the evidentiary value of the documents placed on the file, I dispose of the petition with a direction to respondent no.2-Commissioner of Police, Amritsar, to decide the representation (Annexure P-3) of the petitioners and grant them protection, if any threat to their life and liberty is perceived.

It is clarified that this order shall not be taken to grant

immunity to the petitioners from legal action for violation of law, if any, committed by them. This order would not be understood having expressed any opinion whatsoever by this Court on the validity of the living status of the petitioners.

Disposed of.

12.04.2023
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Whether Speaking/Reasoned
Whether Reportable

(RAJESH BHARDWAJ)
JUDGE
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Yes/No
Yes/No