

2023:PHHC:056129
IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

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CRWP-3800-2023 (O&M)
Date of decision: 21.04.2023

GURDEEP SINGH AND ANR

....Petitioner(s)

Versus

STATE OF PUNJAB AND OTHERS

...Respondent(s)

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE AMAN CHAUDHARY

Present : Mr. Jaswinder Singh Rana, Advocate
for the petitioners.

AMAN CHAUDHARY. J.

The present petition has been filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India for issuance of direction to respondent Nos.2 and 3 to safeguard the lives of the petitioners by providing police protection to the petitioners and further a direction to respondent No.3 not to interfere and not let respondent Nos.4 and 5 or anybody else to interfere with the life and liberty of petitioners or harass them in any manner as they have attained majority and married against the wishes of their family members.

Learned counsel for the petitioners states that the petitioners will be satisfied if Senior Superintendent of Police, Kapurthala i.e. respondent No.2 is directed to look into the representation dated 18.04.2023 (Annexure P-5), made to him by the petitioners in this regard and take appropriate action on the same.

As per averments made in the petition, both the petitioners are major. Dates of birth of both the petitioners are 05.09.2002 and 21.10.1997, respectively. Copies of Aadhar cards of both the petitioners are appended with the petition as Annexures P1 and P2, respectively. They got married on 06.04.2023 as per Marriage Certificate, Annexure P4. Photographs of the marriage are Annexure P3.

Notice of motion.

At the asking of the Court, Mr. IPS Sabharwal, DAG Punjab accepts notice on behalf of respondent Nos. 1 to 3 and has no objection in deciding the representation filed on behalf of the petitioners.

In view of the limited prayer made by the learned counsel for the petitioners and without going into the merits of the claim raised by the petitioners, this petition is disposed of with direction to respondent No.2 to look into the representation dated 18.04.2023 (Annexure P-5) and decide the same expeditiously, in accordance with law.

It is however, made clear that this order shall not preclude the authorities to proceed against the petitioners, in case, they are found involved in any civil or criminal proceedings, instituted/pending against them.

(AMAN CHAUDHARY)
JUDGE

April 21, 2023

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