

2023:PHHC:076948
IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

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CRWP-5135-2023 (O&M)
Date of decision: 26.05.2023

Lehak Garg and Anr.

....Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and Others

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE AMAN CHAUDHARY

Present : Mr. Dixit Raj Kapoor, Advocate for the petitioners

AMAN CHAUDHARY. J.

1. The present petition has been filed under Article 226/227 of the Constitution of India for issuance of direction to respondent Nos.2 and 3 to protect life and liberty of the petitioners at the hands of respondent Nos.4 to 7, as they have attained majority and married against the wishes of their family members.

2. Learned counsel states that the petitioners will be satisfied if Senior Superintendent of Police, Sangrur i.e. respondent No.2 is directed to look into the representation dated 17.05.2023 (Annexure P-5), made to him by them in this regard and take appropriate action on the same.

3. As per averments made in the petition, both the petitioners are major. Dates of birth of both the petitioners are 12.01.2003 and 28.10.1995, respectively. Copies of Aadhar cards of both the petitioners are appended with the petition as Annexures P1 and P2, respectively. They got married on 17.05.2023 and the Marriage Certificate is enclosed with the petition as Annexure P-3. Photographs of the marriage are Annexure P-4.

4. Notice of motion.

5. At the asking of the Court, Mr. Manipal Singh Atwal, 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. Mr. Naresh Gopal Sharma, Advocate accepts notice on behalf of respondent No.4, 5 and 7.

6. In view of the limited prayer made by the learned counsel 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 17.05.2023 (Annexure P-5) and decide the same expeditiously, in accordance with law.

(AMAN CHAUDHARY)
JUDGE

May 26, 2023
M.Kamra

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