

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH.**

CRWP-7491-2023

Date of Decision:-11.08.2023

Sukhchain Singh.

.....Petitioner.

Vs.

State of Punjab & Ors.

.....Respondent.

CORAM:- HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JASJIT SINGH BEDI

Present:- Mr. Anoop Singla, Advocate for the Petitioner.

Mr. Harkanwar Jeet Singh, AAG Punjab.

Mr. Davinder Kumar, Advocate for the respondent no.6.

JASJIT SINGH BEDI, J.(ORAL)

Short reply by way of affidavit of Mr. Shamsheer Singh, DSP, Sub Division Kotkapura, District Faridkot has been filed in Court. Same is taken on record.

Simranjeet Kaur, the alleged detainee who is present in court today is stated to be a major and is in a live in relationship with respondent-5 Aditya who is also present in court. They jointly filed a petition for protection bearing no.CRWP-5554-2023in which this Court had passed the following order:-

“ 1. Petitioner No.1 – Simran Jeet Kaur aged about 18 years and petitioner No.2 – Aditya Kumar aged about 17 years, both of whom are in a ‘live-in’ relationship, seek issuance of a direction to the official respondents to protect their lives and liberty as they apprehend threat to the same at the hands of

respondent Nos.4 to 7, who do not approve of their ‘live-in’ relationship.

2. Having heard the learned counsel for the petitioners and without commenting anything as regards the veracity of the averments made in the petition and also as regards the sanctity of alleged relationship of the petitioners, the petition is disposed of with a direction to respondent No.2 – Superintendent of Police, Yamuna Nagar, District Yamuna Nagar to look into the matter and to dispose off the representation dated 26.5.2023 (Annexure P-3) in accordance with law. In case, it is found that there is a genuine threat to the lives and liberty of the petitioners, then necessary steps warranted under law be taken thereupon at the earliest so as to ensure that no harm is caused to the petitioners.
3. A copy of this order alongwith copy of the representation dated 26.5.2023 (Annexure P-3) be sent to respondent No.2 – Superintendent of Police, Yamuna Nagar, District Yamuna Nagar so as to enable him to do the needful expeditiously.
4. It is, however, clarified that the aforesaid order shall not be taken to be any expression as regards the alleged relationship of the petitioners and shall not confer any immunity upon the petitioners, in case it is found that they have committed any wrong.”

Today she has stated that she wishes to reside with Aditya Kumar-respondent no.5.

In view of the above, no further orders are required to be passed by this Court.

Disposed of.

(JASJIT SINGH BEDI)
JUDGE

August 11, 2023
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Whether speaking/reasoned	Yes/No
Whether reportable	Yes/No