

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

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CRWP-9092-2023

Date of decision: 04.10.2023

Deepa and another

.....Petitioners

Versus

State of Haryana and others

.....Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE MANJARI NEHRU KAUL

Present : Mr. Narinder Singh Sindher, Advocate
for the petitioners.

Ms. Trishanjali Sharma, DAG, Haryana.

MANJARI NEHRU KAUL, J. (ORAL)

1. The instant petition has been filed for issuance of directions to the official respondents to protect the life and liberty of the petitioners who have solemnized their marriage against the wishes of the private respondents.

2. On the last date of hearing, a pointed query was put to the learned counsel for the petitioners as to whether any missing report or any criminal case had been registered against petitioner No.2 qua abduction/kidnapping of petitioner No.1, however, he had feigned ignorance about the same. Learned State counsel had thus been directed to get instructions qua the registration of criminal case, if any, against petitioner No.2.

3. Learned State counsel, on instructions from SI Rakam Singh, has today informed the Court that an FIR No.0194 dated 26.08.2023 under Section 363 of the IPC stands registered against petitioner No.2 qua the abduction of petitioner No.1. It has been

submitted that petitioner No.2 is on the run in the aforementioned case FIR.

4. Mr. Sanjeev Kumar Bawa, Advocate has also put in an appearance and filed his power of attorney on behalf of respondents No.4, 5 and 8. He has submitted that totally false averments have been made in the petition that petitioner No.1 is a major whereas fact of the matter is that she is a minor aged 16 years.

5. I have heard learned counsel for the parties.

6. In the facts and circumstances, no ground is made out to issue directions as sought for by the petitioners since petitioner No.2 is an accused in a criminal case coupled with the fact that false averments have been made in the present petition qua the age of petitioner No.1.

7. Dismissed.

04.10.2023

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(MANJARI NEHRU KAUL)
JUDGE

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