

228 IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CRWP-9151-2023
Date of decision: 29.09.2023

SIMRANJIT MINOR THR GUARDIAN SURENDER KUMAR AND
ANOTHER

...Petitioners

V/S

STATE OF HARYANA AND OTHERS

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE AVNEESH JHINGAN

Present: None for the petitioners.

Mr. Bhupender Singh, Advocate for the petitioners.

Mr. Rajiv Sidhu, DAG, Haryana.

Mr. Abhishek Arora, Advocate for
Mr. Sumit Jain, Addl. PP, U.T. Chandigarh.

Mr. Rajesh Tushar, Advocate for respondent No.6.

AVNEESH JHINGAN J. (ORAL)

This petition is filed seeking directions to the official respondents to protect the personal life and liberty of the petitioners from the hands of private respondents as they are in live-in-relationship.

2. On 15.09.2023, the following order was passed:-

"1. This petition is filed seeking directions to the official respondents No. 2 and 3 to protect life and liberty to the petitioners from the hands of private respondents as they are in live-in-relationship.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioners submits that parties are present in the Court and he identifies them.

3. From the pleadings, it is forthcoming that petitioner No.1 is a minor.

4. Notice of motion.

5. Mr. Rajiv Sidhu, DAG, Haryana appearing on advance notice accepts the same on behalf of the respondent-State. Mr. Rajesh

Tushar, Advocate appearing on behalf of respondent No.4 accepts the notice and he seeks time to file Vakalatnama on behalf of respondents No. 5 and 6 as well.

6. *Considering that petitioner No.1 is minor and for her protection learned counsel for UT Chandigarh who is present in Court is directed to ensure that petitioner No.1 is kept in Ashiana, Sector 15, Chandigarh for her safety. Police officials of Anti Human Trafficking Unit (AHTU) will take her Ashiana, Sector 15, Chandigarh.*

7. *Let petitioner No.1 and private respondents appear before the Child Welfare Committee, U.T., Chandigarh on 19th September, 2023. Petitioner No.1 shall be kept in Ashiana, Sector 15, U.T., Chandigarh till the matter is resolved or next date of hearing whichever is earlier.*

8. *Learned State counsel for Haryana submits that petitioner No.2 is an accused in FIR No. 209, dated 5th September, 2023, under Section 365 IPC, registered at Police Station Naggal, District Ambala. He submits that in case custody of petitioner No.2 is not required he would be kept in safe house in Panchkula.*

9. *Learned State counsel for U.T., Chandigarh submits that for ensuring safety of petitioner No.2, he shall be kept in Police Station Sector 3, Chandigarh till the officials of State of Haryana come to take him during the course of the day.*

10. *List on 29th September, 2023."*

3. None has put in appearance on behalf of the petitioners despite two Passovers.

4. Learned State counsel, on instructions, submits that petitioner No.2 has been arrested in FIR No.209 dated 05.09.2023 registered at Police Station Naggal, District Ambala.

5. The Court is further informed that statement of petitioner No.1 was recorded under Section 164 Cr.P.C. wherein she has agreed to go with her parents. The photocopy of the statement produced in the Court is taken on record.

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6. In view of the above noted facts, no further directions are called for and the petition stands disposed of.
7. Petitioner No.1 be sent with her parents after fulfilling the requisite formalities.

29.09.2023
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(AVNEESH JHINGAN)
JUDGE

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