

**237 IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH**

CRWP-12156-2022

Date of decision : 31.01.2023

Priya and another

.....Petitioner

versus

State of Haryana and others

..... Respondents

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJESH BHARDWAJ

Present :- Mr. Badal Malik, Advocate
for the petitioners.

Mr. Tanuj Sharma, AAG, Haryana.

Mr. Kshitij Sharma, Advocate and
Ms. Tamanna Banwala, Advocate
for the private respondents.

RAJESH BHARDWAJ, J. (Oral)

Prayer in the present petition is for issuance of writ in the nature of mandamus for directing respondents No.3 and 4 to protect the life and liberty of the petitioners from the hands of respondents No.5 to 10 and not to interfere in the peaceful life of the petitioners at behest of respondents No.5 to 10 and other relatives and friends.

The State has filed the status report by way of affidavit of Mr. Raj Kumar, HPS, ACP, Panchkula.

It has been contended by counsel for the petitioners that as per the order passed by this Court, petitioner No.1 was produced before Chief Judicial Magistrate/Duty Magistrate on 30.12.2022 for recording her statement. She deposed in her statement recorded there that she wanted to go with Ankit and not with her parents as there is a threat to her life from them. She requested to allow her to go with Ankit. He submits

that after recording her statement, petitioner No.1 has been released. He submits that as the petitioner No.1 attained the age of majority and expressed her desire not to go with her parents, she was released accordingly.

Learned counsel for respondent No.2 has submitted that though petitioner No.1 remained in their custody but later on her custody was given to Ashiana Children Home, Sector-16, Panchkula.

After hearing counsel for the parties and perusing the record, it is clear that petitioner No.1 who is major has expressed her desire to go with Ankit petitioner No.2 and accordingly, she was released from Ashiana Children Home as per her wish. Nothing survives in the present petition for adjudication by this Court and the same is accordingly disposed of.

(RAJESH BHARDWAJ)
JUDGE

31.01.2023
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Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No
Whether reportable : Yes/No