

Date of Decision : 22.02.2024

State of Punjab and others ...Respondents

Present : Mr. Varun Sharma, Advocate for the petitioners.

[1] Having married against the wishes of their family members, petitioners, who claimed to be major, are facing threat to their life and liberty from private respondent Nos.4 to 6 and so, by way of this petition, they seek direction for respondent Nos.1 to 3 to protect their life.

[2] Petition is accompanied by Aadhar Cards (Annexures P-1 and P-2 respectively) of both the petitioners and copy of marriage certificate (Annexure P-3). They have also placed on record a copy of application dated 16.02.2024 (Annexure P-4), which was moved to respondent No.2.

[3] Notice of motion to respondent Nos.1 to 3 only.

[4] Mr. Amandeep Singh Sandhu, learned DAG, Punjab, accepts notice on behalf of respondent Nos.1 to 3. A copy of paper book be supplied to him during the course of day.

[5] Without commenting on the validity of the marriage of the petitioners, respondent Nos.2 and 3 are hereby directed to provide necessary protection to the petitioners after assessing threat perception to their life.

[6] Disposed of.

(DEEPAK GUPTA)
JUDGE

22.02.2024

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Whether speaking/ reasoned : Yes/No

Whether reportable : Yes/No