

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

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CRWP-2337-2024
Date of Decision: 14.03.2024

Pooja and another	V/s	...Petitioners
State of Punjab and others		...Respondents

CORAM : HON’BLE MR. JUSTICE VIKRAM AGGARWAL

Present: Mr. Varinder Singh Mand, Advocate, for the petitioners.

VIKRAM AGGARWAL, J (ORAL)

This petition has been filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India for issuance of directions to respondents No.2 and 3 to protect the life and liberty of the petitioners at the hands of respondents No.4 to 10 and not to interfere and harass the petitioners and to direct the official respondents to ensure the security of life and liberty of the petitioners.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioners contends that the petitioners are in a live-in-relationship. He further contends that though petitioner No.2 is not of marriageable age, he is a major. The private respondents are not accepting the said relationship and are extending threats to them. The copy of 'Aadhaar' card of the petitioners, matriculation certificate of petitioner No.1 and School leaving certificate of petitioner No.2 (Annexures P-1 to P-4) have been placed on record.

3. Notice of motion.

4. Mr. Jasjeet Singh Dhaliwal, AAG, Punjab, accepts notice on behalf of the official respondents.

5. Without commenting upon the validity of the said relationship, the present petition is disposed of with a direction to respondent No.2 to consider the representation dated 04.03.2024 (Annexure P-5) and take requisite action, if so warranted, as per the facts and circumstances of the matter in accordance with law.

(VIKRAM AGGARWAL)
JUDGE

March 14, 2024
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Whether speaking/reasoned	:	Yes/No
Whether reportable	:	Yes/No