

In the High Court for the States of Punjab and Haryana  
At Chandigarh

CRWP-3439-2024 (O&M)  
Date of Decision:-20.04.2024

Shivani and another ... Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and others ... Respondents

**CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE GURVINDER SINGH GILL**

Present:- Mr. S.S. Bhinder, Advocate for  
Mr. S.K.Choudhary, Advocate for the petitioners.

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**GURVINDER SINGH GILL, J.**(Oral)

1. Petitioner No.1-Shivani aged about 20 years who is stated to be already married to respondent No.4-Sarwan Kumar and petitioner No.2-Abishak Kumar aged about 21 years, both of whom are in a 'live-in' relationship, have approached this Court seeking issuance of a direction to official respondents to protect their lives and liberty as they apprehend threat to the same at the hands of private respondents No.4 and 5, who do not approve of their 'live-in' relationship.
2. Notice of motion.
3. At this stage, Mr. Gauravdeep Singh Dhaliwal, AAG, Punjab, has appeared and accepts notice. Learned State counsel submitted that pursuant to receipt of an advance copy of the petition, some inquiries were made and statements of both the petitioners were recorded and that both the petitioners

categorically stated that they do not apprehend any threat to their lives and liberty from respondents No.4 and 5.

4. In view of the aforestated position, the instant petition is disposed of having been rendered infructuous.
5. However, in case at any later state, the petitioners apprehend any threat to their lives and liberty, it shall be open to the petitioners to approach this Court again.

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( GURVINDER SINGH GILL )  
JUDGE

Whether speaking /reasoned

Yes / No

Whether Reportable

Yes / No