

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CRWP No.3917 of 2024

Date of decision: 3rd May, 2024

Khushpreet & another

... Petitioners

Versus

State of Haryana & others

... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE MANJARI NEHRU KAUL

Present: Ms. Mandeep Kaur, Advocate for the petitioners.

Ms. Deepshikha Chauhan, AAG, Haryana
for the respondent/State.

MANJARI NEHRU KAUL, J. (ORAL)

1. The instant petition has been filed under Articles 226/227 of the Constitution of India for issuance of writ in the nature of mandamus seeking directions to the official respondents to protect the life and liberty of the petitioners at the hands of private respondents.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioners has reiterated the submissions made by her on the last date of hearing that the petitioners are apprehending threats at the hands of private respondents ever since they have entered in to a live-in relationship against the wishes of the private respondents.

3. In compliance of the previous order of this Court, learned State counsel, on instructions, has informed the Court that as on date no criminal case stands registered against petitioner No.2.

4. In view of the submissions made by learned counsel for the petitioners as well as the instructions received by the learned State counsel, the petition is disposed of with a direction to respondent No.2 – Superintendent of Police, District Kurukshetra to look into the representation (Annexure P-3) dated 24.04.2024 and take necessary steps, if any required, in accordance with law, to ensure that the life and liberty of the petitioners is not jeopardized at the hands of the private respondents. However, this direction will not validate the relationship between the parties and will have no effect on any civil or criminal action, which could be initiated in the matter in accordance with law.

(MANJARI NEHRU KAUL)
JUDGE

May 3, 2024
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Whether speaking/reasoned	Yes/No
Whether reportable	Yes/No