



IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH

Sr. No.207

CRWP-5357-2024

Date of decision : 12.06.2024

Reena Kumari and another

..... Petitioners

Versus

State of Chandigarh and others

..... Respondents

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE DEEPAK SIBAL

Present : Mr.G.L.Aggarwal, Advocate, for the petitioners.

Mr.V.S.Mahal, Addl.P.P., UT, Chandigarh.

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DEEPAK SIBAL, J. (Oral)

1. Learned counsel for the petitioners submits that the petitioners have married each other against the wishes of parents and family members of petitioner No.1 and on account of this act on their part, they are under threat of being eliminated at the hands of respondents No.4 to 7. In view of the above, seeking protection, a representation dated 30.05.2024 (Annexure P-4) was made by the petitioners to the Senior Superintendent of Police, Chandigarh, but to no avail.

2. In the above circumstances, seeking protection of their life and liberty, the petitioners have approached this Court through the present petition.

3. Without expressing any opinion on the merits of the matter, in particular the validity of the petitioners' alleged marriage, the present petition is disposed of with a direction to the Senior Superintendent of Police, Chandigarh to forthwith consider the aforesaid representation dated 30.05.2024 (Annexure P-4) made by the petitioners and thereafter take

appropriate action on the same as he/she deems fit, in accordance with law, to ensure that no bodily harm comes to the petitioners.

4. It is made clear that this order shall not be taken to validate the marriage of the petitioners or protect them from legal action for violation of law, if any, committed by them.

12.06.2024
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[DEEPAK SIBAL]
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes / No

Whether reportable : Yes / No