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IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA AT  
CHANDIGARH

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Date of decision : 18.06.2024

Jasmeen Kaur and another

... Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and others

... Respondents

***CORAM: HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE VIKAS BAHL***

Present: Mr.Monu Sharma, Advocate for  
Mr.Ankur Malik, Advocate  
for the petitioners.

Mr.N.S. Diwana, Sr.DAG, Punjab.

**VIKAS BAHL, J.(ORAL)**

1. The present Criminal Writ Petition has been filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India for directing respondents no.2 and 3 to protect the life and liberty of the petitioners.

2. It is the case of the petitioners that they both are major inasmuch as petitioner no.1 was born on 05.12.2005 as is apparent from her matriculation certificate (Annexure P-3) and petitioner no.2 was born on 26.06.2000 as is apparent from his matriculation certificate (Annexure P-4), and have married each other on 08.06.2024, with their free consent and without any pressure and that this is their first marriage. Reliance has been placed upon the marriage certificate dated 08.06.2024 (Annexure P-5) and marriage photographs (Annexure P-6). It is also stated by the learned



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counsel for the petitioners that a detailed representation dated 08.06.2024 (Annexure P-7) has also been given to respondent no.2 with regard to the same.

3. Notice of motion to respondent nos.1 to 3 only.
4. On advance notice, Mr.N.S. Diwana, Sr.DAG, Punjab, appears and accepts notice on behalf of respondent nos.1 to 3 and on a specific query put by this Court, he has stated that he has no objection in case, respondent no.2-Senior Superintendent of Police, Hoshiarpur, looks into the representation dated 08.06.2024 (Annexure P-7) and takes appropriate action in accordance with law.
5. After considering the above said facts and without commenting upon the legality of the marriage and expressing any opinion on merits of the case, the present Criminal Writ Petition is disposed of with direction to respondent no.2- Senior Superintendent of Police, Hoshiarpur, to look into the representation dated 08.06.2024 (Annexure P-7) and after considering the threat perception to the petitioners, respondent no.2 will take appropriate action in accordance with law.
6. It is, however, clarified that this order shall not debar the State from proceeding against the petitioners, if involved in any other case.

**(VIKAS BAHL)**  
**JUDGE**

**June 18, 2024**  
*Davinder Kumar*

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| Whether speaking / reasoned | Yes/No |
| Whether reportable          | Yes/No |