

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH

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CRWP-5691-2024
Date of Decision:21.06.2024

RANI KUMARI AND ANOTHER
VERSUS
STATE OF PUNJAB AND OTHERS

...PETITIONERS

...RESPONDENTS

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SUVIR SEHGAL

Present: Ms. Hasan Kaur, Advocate for the petitioners
through video conferencing.

SUVIR SEHGAL, J.(ORAL)

1. Rani Kumari and Mahesh Kumar, petitioners before this Court, claim themselves to be of marriageable age. They have pleaded that they have married against the wishes of respondents No.4 to 9. They apprehend danger from them and seek protection of their life and liberty. They have placed on record Marriage Certificate, Annexure P-3, and photographs, Annexure P-4, evidencing their marriage. Petitioner No.1 has submitted a representation dated 11.06.2024 (Annexure P-5) to the Senior Superintendent of Police, Mohali – respondent No.2.
2. Without entering upon an exercise to evaluate the evidentiary value of the documents placed on the file, the petition is disposed of with a direction to respondent No.2 to decide the representation, Annexure P-5, and grant them protection, if any threat to their life and liberty is perceived. It is made clear that this order shall not be taken to protect the petitioners from legal action for violation of law, if any, committed by them.

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(SUVIR SEHGAL)
JUDGE

Whether Speaking/Reasoned	Yes/No
Whether Reportable	Yes/No