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**236 IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH****CRWP-5949-2024**

Date of Decision: 24.07.2024

Gurcharan Singh

..... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others

.....Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJESH BHARDWAJ

Present: Mr. Kehar Singh Hissowal, Advocate, for the petitioner.

Mr.J.S. Arora, DAG, Punjab.

Mr. Munish Garg, Advocate, for respondent No.4.

Rajesh Bhardwaj, J. (ORAL)

1. Prayer in the present petition is for issuance of directions to respondent No. 1 to 3 especially to respondent No. 2 to consider the representation of the petitioner dated 18.06.2024 (Annexure P-3) and to protect the life and liberty of the petitioner and to restrain the private respondents from harassing and interfering in the peaceful life and liberty of the petitioner. Further prayer has been made to direct respondent No. 1 to 3 to provide protect for the life and liberty of the petitioner and the girl friend of the petitioner namely Parneet Kaur daughter of respondent No. 4 from the hands of private respondents during the pendency of the present petition. The petitioner has friendship with above said Parneet Kaur, resident of VPO Kurar, Tehsil and District Barnala and they want to solemnize the marriage and live together forever but she is somewhat less than 18 years and in this way the petitioner and his girl friend will perform the marriage after sometime but the private respondents are forcibly restraining the petitioner and Parneet Kaur from doing so and they can cause any kind loss to petitioner and his girl friend Parneet Kaur.



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2. Learned counsel for the petitioner at the outset has fairly submitted before this Court that as on date the petitioner is lodged in Barnala District Jail.

3. On instructions from ASI Jagga Singh, learned State counsel has submitted that present petition was filed on 20.06.2024, whereas, FIR No.39, under Sections 366, 363 IPC was registered against him on 17.06.2024.

4. Learned counsel for respondent No.4 has submitted that alleged victim Parneet Kaur i.e. the daughter of respondent No.4 is already with her parents.

5. In view of the submissions made by counsel for the parties, it is apparent that the petitioner is behind bars in FIR No.39. The alleged victim is with her parents, thus, this Court does not find any ground for considering the prayer for direction sought for in the present petition. However, the respondent authorities would proceed further in accordance with law.

6. Disposed of.

(RAJESH BHARDWAJ)

JUDGE

24.07.2024

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Whether Speaking/Reasoned :

Yes/No

Whether Reportable :

Yes/No