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**124 IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH**

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Date of Decision: 06.09.2024

Love Kush and another

..... Petitioners

Versus

State of Haryana and others

..... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJESH BHARDWAJ

Present: Mr. A.S., Gulati, Advocate for the petitioners.

Rajesh Bhardwaj, J. (ORAL)

1. The present petition has been filed under Articles 226/227 of Constitution of India for issuance of direction to respondents No.1 to 3 for providing protection of life and liberty and security to the petitioners who are living together since 28.08.2024 and for restraining respondents No.4 from interfering in the peaceful life of the petitioners.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioners states that both the petitioners are major and they are living in live-in-relationship against the wishes of respondents No.4 to 7 and have sought protection to their life and liberty. They apprehend danger from respondents no.4 to 7. The petitioners have submitted a representation dated 03.09.2024 (Annexure P-3) to respondent no.2 for granting protection to their life and liberty.

3. Notice of motion to the official respondents only.

4. Mr. Sumit Jain, Addl. AG, Haryana, accepts notice on behalf of the State.

5. Without entering upon an exercise to evaluate the evidentiary value of the documents placed on the file, I dispose of the petition with a direction to respondent no.2-Superintendent of Police, Karnal, to decide the

representation (Annexure P-3) of the petitioners and grant them protection, if any threat to their life and liberty is perceived.

6. It is clarified that this order shall not be taken to grant immunity to the petitioners from legal action for violation of law, if any, committed by them. This order would not be understood having expressed any opinion whatsoever by this Court on the validity of their live-in relationship.

7. Disposed of.

06.09.2024

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Whether Speaking/Reasoned

Whether Reportable

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Yes/No

Yes/No

(RAJESH BHARDWAJ)

JUDGE