



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

CRWP-10697-2024 (O&M)
Date of decision: 06.11.2024

Shahnawaj Alam and another

...Petitioners

Versus

State of UT Chandigarh and others

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE KARAMJIT SINGH

Present: Mr. Nafeesh Ahmed, Advocate for the petitioners.

KARAMJIT SINGH, J. (ORAL)

CRM-W-1392-2024

Application is allowed as prayed for.

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1. Counsel for the petitioners inter alia submits that both the petitioners belong to muslim religion. Petitioner No.1 a male is aged about 21 years has performed marriage with petitioner No.2 a female aged more than 17 years. Earlier to that, both the petitions were unmarried. That under the muslim personal law, a female attains the age of puberty as and when, she is more than 15 years of age and is eligible for marriage. Counsel for the petitioners further submits that petitioners have performed marriage against the wishes of respondents No.5 to 8 and now they are apprehending threats from the side of said private respondents and in this regard representation Annexure P-5 dated 03.11.2024 is already submitted by the petitioners to respondent No.2 but the police authorities failed to take any action.

2. Notice of motion.



3. Ms. Vasundhra Dalal Anand, Addl. PP, UT Chandigarh, accepts notice on behalf of the State and on instructions from ASI Sanjeev Kumar submits that both the petitioners appeared before the police and made statement that now they are having no apprehension of threat to their life and liberty from the side of private respondents. The copies of the statements of petitioners are taken on record. Counsel appearing on behalf of UT Chandigarh submits that in view of the above, the present petition has become infructuous.

4. Faced with this situation, counsel for the petitioners made statement that the present petition be disposed of in light of the statement which is recorded today in the Court by the counsel appearing on behalf of UT Chandigarh.

5. Ordered accordingly.

06.11.2024

Yogesh

(KARAMJIT SINGH)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned:-
Whether reportable:-

Yes/No
Yes/No