



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

-.-

CRWP-4773-2025

Date of Decision: 14.05.2025

Ramani and Another

.....Petitioner(s)

Vs.

State of Punjab and others

.....Respondent(s)

CORAM: HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE SUDEEPTI SHARMA

Present: Mr. R.S.Dhillon, Advocate for the petitioners.

SUDEEPTI SHARMA.J. (ORAL)

1. Through the instant petition, as filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, the petitioners, who are in a 'live-in relationship', have sought issuance of directions upon the official respondents No.1 to 3, to ensure protection of their lives and liberty at the hands of private respondents No. 4 to 11, and, also to restrain the said respondents from harassing the petitioners or interfering in their personal life.

2. The counsel for the petitioners contend that both the petitioners have attained the age of majority, as prescribed by statute. The petitioners have appended their respective Aadhar Cards as Annexures P-1 and P-2 with the instant petition. He further contends that their 'live-in relationship' has caused grievance to the private respondents. The petitioners also made

**CRWP-4773-2025****-2-**

a representation dated 30.04.2025 (Annexure P-3) to the respondent no.2, expressing therein their apprehension qua danger to their lives at the hands of the private respondents.

3. The learned counsel for the petitioners has submitted that he would be satisfied in case the respondent no.2- Senior Superintendent of Police, Fazilka (Punjab), is directed to look into the representation (supra) and after considering threat perception to the petitioners, to take appropriate action.

4. Notice of motion to the official respondent(s) only.

5. On the asking of the Court, Ms. Ramta Chowdhary, DAG, Punjab, accepts notice on behalf of the official respondents.

6. Without commenting anything as regards the veracity of the averments made in the petition and also as regards the sanctity of alleged relationship of the petitioners, this Court deems it appropriate to dispose of the present petition with a direction to respondent no.2- Senior Superintendent of Police, Fazilka (Punjab), to consider the representation (supra) and to take appropriate action in accordance with law. In case, it is found that there is a genuine threat to the lives and liberty of the petitioners, then necessary steps warranted under law be taken at the earliest, so as to ensure that no harm is caused to the petitioners.



CRWP-4773-2025

-3-

- 7. It is, however, clarified that this order shall not be taken to be any expression as regards the alleged relationship of the petitioners and shall not confer any immunity upon the petitioners, in case it is found that they have committed any wrong.
- 8. Disposed of accordingly.
- 9. Pending application(s), if any, also stand disposed of.

May 14, 2025
tripti

(SUDEEPTI SHARMA)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned:	Speaking
Whether reportable:	Yes / No