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AT CHANDIGARH**

CRWP-13627-2025

Date of decision : 19.12.2025

Manjinder Kaur and another

.....Petitioners

versus

State of Punjab and others

.....Respondents

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJESH BHARDWAJ

Present :- Ms. Amandeep Kaur, Advocate
for the petitioners.

RAJESH BHARDWAJ, J. (Oral)

1. Prayer in this petition is for directing respondents No.2 and 3 to protect the life and liberty of the petitioners, which is in imminent danger at the hands of respondents No.4 to 11 and further directing respondents No.4 to 11 not to interfere in the life and liberty of the petitioners (run-away couple) in any manner.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioners submits that both the petitioners are major and have married against the wishes of respondents No.4 to 11 and have sought protection to their life and liberty. They apprehend danger from respondents No.4 to 11. Their marriage certificate and photographs evidencing their marriage is on record as Annexures P-3 and P-4. Learned counsel for the petitioners states that petitioners have filed representation dated 15.12.2025 (Annexure P-5) before respondent No.2 i.e. Commissioner of Police, Amritsar.

3. Notice of motion to respondents No.1 to 3.



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4. On asking of the Court, Ms. Ramta Chowdhary, D.A.G., Punjab, notice on behalf of the respondents-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- Commissioner of Police, Amritsar, to decide the representation dated 15.12.2025 (Annexure P-5) of the petitioners and grant them protection, if any threat to their life and liberty is perceived. 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 the marriage of the petitioners.

6. Disposed of.

**(RAJESH BHARDWAJ)
JUDGE**

19.12.2025

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