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IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

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CRWP-5525-2026 (O&M)

Date of decision: 11th May, 2026

Satveer Singh and another

...Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and others

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE MANISHA BATRA

Present: Mr. Sarvesh Kumar Gupta, Advocate and
Mr. Ashish Kumar, Advocate
for the petitioners.

MANISHA BATRA, J (ORAL):-

The present petition has been filed under Articles 226/227 of the Constitution of India seeking issuance of a writ of mandamus directing the respondent No. 2 to protect the life and liberty of the petitioners at the hands of the private respondents and to take action on their representation dated 08.05.2026 (Annexure P-3).

2. It is submitted by the learned counsel for the petitioners that they are major. They are in love. Their parents are against their relationship and threats have even been extended to petitioner No.2 by her parents and relatives to kill her. She has left her house and has started living with the petitioner No.1. Apprehending danger to their lives and liberty, they sent representation dated 08.05.2026 (Annexure P-3) to the respondent No. 2-Senior Superintendent of Police, Sangrur but the same has not been taken into

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consideration and hence, the present petition.

3. Notice of motion.

4. Ms. Ruchika Sabherwal, Senior DAG, Punjab, who is present in Court, accepts notice on behalf of the official respondents, at this stage. The petitioners' counsel is directed to supply the copy of the petition to her.

5. I have heard learned counsel for the petitioners as well as learned State counsel and without going into the question of legality of their relationship as well as without entering upon an exercise to evaluate the veracity of the averments made in the petition and also with regard to the sanctity of relationship or age of the petitioners, this petition is disposed of with a direction to the respondent No.2-Senior Superintendent of Police, Sangrur to look into the matter and dispose of the representation dated 08.05.2026 (Annexure P-3) in accordance with law and also to take necessary steps, if any genuine threat to life and liberty of the petitioners is found.

6. A copy of this order along with copy of representation dated 08.05.2026 (Annexure P-3) be sent to respondent No.2, so as to enable him to do the needful expeditiously.

7. It is made clear that this order shall not be taken to protect the petitioners from legal action for violation of law, if any, committed by them.

[MANISHA BATRA]
JUDGE

11th May, 2026
Parveen Sharma

1. Whether speaking/ reasoned	:	Yes / No
2. Whether reportable	:	Yes / No