IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH

CRM-M-44533-2014

Date of Decision: December 31, 2014

Manoj Kumar and Another

.....Petitioners

Versus

The State of Punjab and others

....Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE GURMIT RAM

Present: Mr. B.S. Jaswal, Advocate for the petitioners.

GURMIT RAM, J. (Oral)

Prayer in the present petition filed under Section 482 of the Cr.P.C. is for

issuance of a direction to the official respondents to protect the life and liberty of the

petitioners and not to harass them at the instance of respondent Nos.4 and 5.

The petitioners have got married against the wishes of their parents. They

are stated to be major. In support of her proof of age petitioner No.1 has placed on

record a copy of passport (Annexure P-1) wherein his date of birth is mentioned as

12.10.1985 whereas petitioner No.2 has also placed on record a copy of her affidavit

(Annexure P-2) depicting her date of birth as 10.03.1997. They have also moved a

representation before the Sr. Superintendent of Police (Rural), Jalandhar (Annexure

P-4) for protection of their lives and liberty.

Without adverting to the merits of the controversy, the present petition is

disposed of with a direction to respondent No.2, the Senior Superintendent of Police

(Rural), Jalandhar, to take appropriate action on the said representation.

This order has nothing to do with regard to validity or invalidity of the

marriage of the petitioners.

[GURMIT RAM] JUDGE

December 31, 2014