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IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH

CRWP No. 12357 of 2021 (O&M) Date of Decision:31.12.2021

Anju Devi and another

.....Petitioners

Versus

State of Haryana and others

..... Respondents

CORAM:- HON'BLE MRS.JUSTICE LISA GILL

Present: Mr. Rishi Pal Singh, Advocate

for the petitioners.

Mr. Hitesh Pandit, Addl.AG., Haryana

for respondents no.1 to 3.

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said respondents.

Petitioners seek protection of their life and liberty as they apprehend danger at the hands of respondents No. 4 and 5 and other relatives because they have solemnised marriage on 12.12.2021 against the wishes of

Learned counsel for the petitioners identifies the petitioners on the basis of documents attached. It is contended that the petitioners are major, their dates of birth being 03.12.2003 and 01.01.1999, respectively. Adhar Card of both the petitioners regarding their date of birth are appended with the petition as Annexures P-1 and P-2, respectively. Copy of marriage certificate and photographs of the marriage are on record as Annexures P-3 and P-4, respectively. It is submitted that there is no impediment to the marriage of the petitioners. Petitioners, it is stated, submitted representation dated 12.12.2021 (Annexure P-5) to respondent No.2 i.e., Superintendent of Police, Karnal, for redressal of their grievance but no action has been taken thereon.

Notice of motion to respondents No.1 to 3.

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Mr. Hitesh Pandit, Addl.AG., Haryana, accepts notice on behalf of respondents No.1 to 3. Advance copy of the petition stands served.

Without commenting upon the age of the petitioners or validity of their marriage or validity and genuineness of the certificates/documents appended with the petition, respondent No.2 –Superintendent of Police, Karnal, is directed to look into representation dated 12.12.2021, Annexure P-5 submitted by the petitioners and take appropriate action if any/as may be required, keeping in view the threat perception to the petitioners.

Petition is disposed of accordingly.

[LISA GILL] Judge

31.12.2021

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