

**HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE FOR RAJASTHAN AT
JODHPUR**

S.B. Criminal Writ Petition No. 2189/2023

1. Kanchan D/o Shri Chotu Ram, Aged About 19 Years, R/o Nandoli Bas, Nandoli Chandawata, Nagaur, Rajasthan 341506
2. Birma Ram S/o Shri Shiv Bhagwan, Aged About 23 Years, R/o Pipla Ka Bas, Nagaur, Rajasthan 341506

----Petitioners

Versus

1. State Of Rajasthan, Through Chief Secretary, Ministry Of Home Affairs, Jaipur, Rajasthan.
2. Superintendent Of Police, Didwana
3. Station House Office, P.s. Makrana, Didwana
4. Shri Chotu Ram S/o Late Lasharam Ram, R/o Nandoli Chandawata, Nagaur, Rajasthan 341506
5. Amra Ram S/o Hema Ram, R/o Nandoli Bas, Nandoli Chandawata, Nagaur, Rajasthan 341506

----Respondents

For Petitioner(s) : Ms. Kanchan
Mr. Birma Ram, petitioners present in person

For Respondent(s) : Mr. S.K.Bhati,PP

JUSTICE DINESH MEHTA
Order

22/12/2023

1. The petitioners have preferred the present writ petition under Article 226 of the Constitution of India for issuance of necessary directions to the respondent authorities to provide adequate security and protection to them, as they are facing grave threat of life and liberty at the hands of private respondent(s).
2. Petitioners submit that they are of major age and they solemnized their marriage of their own free will. However, their family members are not agreeable to their marriage and have threatened them of dire consequences.

3. They pray that adequate police protection be provided to us.
4. Though no specific instance or imminent threat has been pleaded but considering the submissions made by the petitioners and having regard to the facts and circumstances of the case, this Court is of the opinion that if the petitioners are having any apprehension or threat perception about their life and liberty from their relatives, they may move appropriate representation before the Superintendent of Police, Deedwana indicating their concern with the name(s) of probable assailants.
5. If any such representation is moved by the petitioners, the Superintendent of Police, Deedwana shall consider the same and after analysing the factual situation pass necessary orders or take action to ward off any untoward incident.
6. It is hereby clarified that this order may not be construed to be a validation of petitioners' marriage and proof of their age. Any observation made herein shall not affect any criminal or civil proceedings initiated against the petitioners, at the instance of their relatives.
7. With these observations, this criminal writ. petition is disposed of.
8. The stay application also stands disposed of accordingly.

(DINESH MEHTA),J