IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH

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CRWP-10798 of 2025
Date of Decision:01.10.2025

Gagandeep Singh and another

....Petitioner(s)

Versus

State of Punjab and others

.....Respondent(s)

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE AMAN CHAUDHARY

Present: Mr. Sidharth Maini, Advocate, and
Ms. Aakshi Gupta, Advocate
for the petitioners.

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AMAN CHAUDHARY, J. (Oral)

1. The present petition has been filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India for issuance of direction to respondent Nos.1 to 3 to protect life and liberty of the petitioners at the hands of private respondents, as they have attained majority and married against the wishes of their family members.

2. Learned counsel states that the petitioners will be satisfied if the Senior Superintendent of Police, Fatehgarh Sahib i.e. respondent No.2 is directed to look into the representation dated 29.09.2025 (Annexure P-5), made to him by them and take appropriate action on the same.

3. As per the averments made, both the petitioners are major and their dates of birth are 12.07.2004 and 22.12.2006, respectively. The copies of their *Aadhar* cards are appended as Annexures P-1 and P-2, respectively. They

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got married on 29.09.2025 and the Marriage Certificate is enclosed with the petition as Annexure P-3.

4. Notice of motion.

5. At the asking of the Court, Mr. M.S.Bajwa, DAG, Punjab accepts notice on behalf of respondent Nos.1 to 3 and has no objection in deciding the representation filed on behalf of the petitioners.

6. In view of the limited prayer made by the learned counsel for the petitioners and without going into the merits of their claim, this petition is disposed of with direction to respondent No.2 to look into the representation dated 29.09.2025 (Annexure P-5) and decide the same expeditiously, in accordance with law.

7. It is however, made clear that this order shall not preclude the authorities to proceed against the petitioners, in case, they are found involved in any other criminal proceedings, instituted/pending against them if there is some evidence that surfaces regarding their involvement in a cognizable offence, for which they may be required by the investigating agency.

(AMAN CHAUDHARY)
JUDGE

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

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