



**IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH**

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CRWP-8418-2026 (O&M)

DECIDED ON: 16.07.2026

EKTA & ANR.**.....PETITIONERS****VERSUS****STATE OF PUNJAB & ORS.****.....RESPONDENTS****CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SURYA PARTAP SINGH**

Present: Mr. Virender Singh, Advocate for the petitioners.

Mr. Eklavya Darshi, Deputy Advocate General, Punjab.

SURYA PARTAP SINGH, J (ORAL)

The instant petition has been filed by the petitioners for directions to the respondents No.2 & 3 to protect their life and liberty from the respondents No.4 to 6.

2. The learned counsel representing the petitioners submits that the petitioner No.1 has filed the representation dated 13.07.2026 (Annexure P-5) before the respondent No.2. The learned counsel prays for directions to the respondent No.2 to decide the abovementioned representation within the stipulated time.

3. **Notice of motion to respondents No.1 to 3.**



4. Mr. Eklavya Darshi, Deputy Advocate General, Punjab accepts notice on behalf of the respondents No.1 to 3/State. Hence service of notice upon the State is hereby dispensed with.

5. Keeping in view the aforesaid facts and circumstances, it is hereby directed that by passing a speaking order within a period of one month from the date of receipt of this order, the representation of petitioner No.1 (Annexure P-5) be disposed of either by the Commissioner of Police, Jalandhar (respondent No.2) or, on assignment by him, by any other police officer not below the rank of Deputy Commissioner of Police. It is however clarified that any observation is not being made by this Court with regard to threat perception to the petitioners or the validity of their marriage. The respondent No.2 shall be at liberty to make an independent assessment with regard to contents of representation of the petitioner No.1, and take an independent decision at his own level.

6. In view of above, the present petition is hereby ***disposed of***.

16.07.2026

Gaurav Thakur

(SURYA PARTAP SINGH)
JUDGE

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