

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

S.B. Criminal Writ Petition No. 3041/2026

1. Sangeeta L W/o Shri Pravin Kumar, Aged About 19 Years,
D/o Leela Ram R/o Village Nimbau Tahsil Sanchoe
District Jalore Rajasthan.
2. Pravin Kumar S/o Ravta Ram, Aged About 22 Years, R/o
Village Nimbau Tahsil Sanchoe District Jalore Rajasthan.

-----Petitioners

Versus

1. State Of Rajasthan, Through The Principal Secretary,
Department Of Home, Government Secretariat, Jaipur,
Rajasthan.
2. The Superintendent Of Police, Jalore
3. Station House Officer, Police Station Bagora, District
Jalore.
4. Station House Office, Police Station Jhab, District Jalore
5. Leela Ram S/o Shr Mota Ram, R/o Village Morsim, Tehsil
Bagora, District Jalore.
6. Ansi Devi W/o Leela Ram, R/o Village Morsim, Tehsil
Bagora, District Jalore.
7. Lakha Ram S/o Mota Ram, R/o Village Morsim, Tehsil
Bagora, District Jalore.
8. Mota Ram S/o Dharma Ram, R/o Village Morsim, Tehsil
Bagora, District Jalore.
9. Shankara Ram Spouse/o Uda Ram, R/o Devada , Tehsil
Sanchoe, District Jalore
10. Uda Ram S/o Mala Ram, R/o Devada , Tehsil Sanchoe,
District Jalore
11. Harda Ram Spouse/o Mala Ram, R/o Devada , Tehsil
Sanchoe, District Jalore
12. Narsa Ram S/o Agra Ram, R/o Narsana, Tehsil Bagora,
District Jalore
13. Geeta Devi W/o Uttam Ji, R/o Vali , Tehsil Bagora, District
Jalore

-----Respondents

For Petitioner(s) : Mr. Teja Ram
For Respondent(s) : Mr. Narendar Singh, PP

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE KULDEEP MATHUR

Order

03/07/2026

The criminal writ petition has been preferred by the petitioners under Article 226 of the Constitution of India seeking direction for being provided with adequate security and protection.

The petitioners both being major persons claim to have performed a love marriage. They submit that the marriage was performed against the wishes of their parents and thus, they feel threat to their lives at the hands of private respondents, who are their relatives. The petitioners allegedly approached the concerned respondent authorities, with a prayer to be provided with adequate protection but no heed has been paid to their request so far.

The documents pertaining to the age of the petitioners and the marriage ceremony performed between them have been filed on record. Thus, taking cue from the judgment rendered by the Hon'ble Supreme Court in the case of ***Lata Singh Vs. State of U.P. Reported in AIR 2006 SC 2522***, the prayer made by the petitioners for directing the concerned respondent authorities to provide protection to the petitioners deserves to be accepted.

The concerned respondent authorities shall have the matter enquired into and if so required, appropriate protection shall be provided to the petitioners as and when warranted. The concerned



respondent authorities shall ensure that no harm is caused to the petitioners, who have performed a love marriage.

The criminal writ petition is accordingly disposed of.

(KULDEEP MATHUR),J

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