Punjab-Haryana High Court

Pushpinder And Another vs State Of Punjab And Others on 8 December, 2009 IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH

> Criminal Misc. No. M-34701 of 2009 (0&M) Date of Decision: December 08, 2009

Pushpinder and another

... Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and others

... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE S.D. ANAND.

Present: Mr. R.K. Arya, Advocate, for the petitioners.

S.D. Anand, J.(Oral) Crl. Misc. No. 62559 of 2009 Allowed, as prayed for.

Crl. Misc. No. M-34701 of 2009 Notice of motion.

On the asking of the Court, Mr. Arshvinder Singh, Deputy Advocate General, Punjab, accepts notice on behalf of the State.

The respondent Nos. 2 and 3 (Senior Superintendent of Police, Gurdaspur, and S.H.O., Police Station, Dina Nagar, District Gurdaspur, respectively) shall ensure that the petitioners shall have the similar constitutional protection which is available to all the citizens of the country under Article 21 of the Constitution of India. The reiteration of that obvious constitutional guarantee would not be inferred to be an expression of opinion on the merits of the averments in the course of the petition qua the factum/validity of their matrimonial alliance.

A copy of the order be given to the learned State counsel under the signatures of Special Secretary.

Disposed of accordingly.

December 08, 2009 vkd

(S.D. Anand) Judge

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