

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF SINDH,
CIRCUIT COURT, HYDERABAD**

C.P. No. 5- 579 of 2022

Mst. Aneela and another ----- Petitioners

VERSUS

Province of Sindh
& others ----- Respondents

Date of hearing: 15.08.2022

Date of decision: 15.08.2022

Mr. Muhammad Hassan Chang, Advocate for petitioners.

Mr. Rafiq Ahmed Dahri, Asstt: A.G. along with Insp. Manzoor Ali for SSP Hyderabad, SIP Noor Muhammad Chandio Addl. SHO Matiari for SSP Matiari & SIP Ghulam Hyder Channar PS Shahdadpur

ORDER

ADNAN-UL-KARIM MEMON, J.- Through instant petition, the petitioners have sought direction to respondents 2 to 4 to restrain respondents 5 to 7 from harassing the petitioners and family members of petitioner No.2 at the behest of respondents No. 8 to 15 and further to provide legal protection to them.

Learned counsel submits that the petitioners contracted freewill marriage which caused annoyance to private respondents 8 to 15 and the official respondents at the instance of private respondents are causing harassment to them, hence they have filed the instant petition.

Upon notice the official respondents have filed comments denying the allegations leveled against them and further stated that they are duty bound to provide legal protection to every citizen being their vested right; therefore, if the petitioners approaches them they will be provided protection as per law.

In view of the above, the instant petition is disposed of with direction to the official respondents to act strictly in accordance with law, shall not cause any harassment to petitioners and shall provide legal protection to them.

JUDGE