

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH

BA1 KUMAR ARORA
2015.01.30 16:35

CRWP-141-2015 (O&M).
Decided on: January 30, 2015.

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..... Petitioner(s)

Versus

State of Punjab and another

..... Respondent(s)

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CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE M.M.S. BEDI

**PRESENT Mr.Nitu Singh, Advocate,
for the petitioner.**

M.M.S. BEDI, J (ORAL).

The petitioner claims that 13 persons mentioned in para 3 of the petition have been illegally detained by brick kiln owner respondent No.4.

A perusal of the petition indicates that violation of provisions of Bonded Labour System (Abolition) Act, 1976 has been alleged.

As per Sections 12 & 21 of the said Act, it is the District Magistrate or the Executive Magistrate, who is authorised to take action to eradicate bonded labour. Representation Annexure P1 appears to have been filed by the petitioner on behalf of alleged detainee.

Notice of motion to the Advocate General, Punjab.

On asking of the Court, notice has been accepted by Mr.J.S.Brar, AAG., Punjab, present in the Court. Copy given.

This petition is disposed of with a direction that the District Magistrate, Hoshiarpur, will look into the representation Annexure P1 and take necessary steps within a period of 15 days after the receipt of a certified copy of the order. It is observed that in case representation Annexure P1 has not been received, this petition will be treated as a representation for adjudication.

January 30, 2015.
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(M.M.S. BEDI)
JUDGE