

**231-a IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA  
AT CHANDIGARH**

**CRWP No.107 of 2016**

**Date of Decision: March 03, 2016**

**Neha Beri**

**.... Petitioner**

**vs.**

**State**

**.... Respondent**

**CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE KULDIP SINGH**

**By order:**

**Present:** Mr. A.P.S. Gill, AAG, Punjab.

- 1. Whether Reporters of Local Newspapers may be allowed to see the judgment?*
- 2. To be referred to the Reporters or not?*
- 3. Whether the judgment should be reported in the Digest?*

**Kuldip Singh J.(Oral)**

Status report has been filed in the Court today and the same is taken on record. It shows that Vikas Beri, husband of the petitioner has not contacted his wife since 30.12.2015 and is missing. It is stated that the petitioner had made a telephonic complaint to the police on 25.01.2015 that her husband Vikas Beri has been kidnapped. The police has recorded the statements of some of the witnesses. It is also stated that the detnue Vikas Beri had borrowed a sum of huge amount from many persons in the city and he has a dispute with regard to some property with persons against whom she has levelled allegations. The police is inquiring into the matter from all the angles of the case.

Let the police conduct the inquiry and if it is found that some cognizable offense has been committed, the police may proceed to register the first information report in view of judgment

passed by Hon'ble the Supreme Court delivered in case of ***“Lalita Kumari vs Govt. of U.P. and others”***, ***2014(1) SCC (Cri) 524*** and investigate the same. However, if no offence is committed, the police will take appropriate action in the matter.

Accordingly, the present petition stands disposed of.

**March 03, 2016**  
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**(KULDIP SINGH)**  
**JUDGE**