

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CRWP No. 1174 of 2016
DECIDED ON: September 24, 2016

KAILASH DEVI @ KRISHNA

....PETITIONER..

VERSUS

UT CHANDIGARH AND OTHERS

....RESPONDENTS..

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JASPAL SINGH

Present: Mr. M.S. Kathuria, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

Ms. Ashima Mor, Public Prosecutor,
for UT, Chandigarh.

JASPAL SINGH, J (ORAL)

By virtue of instant criminal writ petition preferred under Article 226 of the Constitution of India read with Section 482 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, the petitioner has sought issuance of a writ in the nature of Habeas Corpus for the appointment of warrant officer and directing respondents No. 1 to 3 to produce the detinue namely Jyoti, his daughter before the Court after getting her released from the illegal detention of respondent No.4.

2. In pursuance of notice of motion issued by this Court vide order dated September 01, 2016, Jyoti (detinue), aged about 21 years, r/o House No.3872, Moli Jagaran Complex, UT, Chandigarh has been produced before Mr. Parveen Kumar, Judicial Magistrate, Ist Class, Chandigarh where she had made a categorical statement that she has solemnized marriage with one Vishal at

her own accord and freewill.

3. In view of the statement suffered by Jyoti, which has been referred to above, she cannot be termed to be in illegal detention of either of private respondent No.4. Rather, in view of the statement, instant petition has rendered infructuous and same stands disposed of accordingly.

September 24, 2016
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(JASPAL SINGH)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned: **Yes/No**

Whether reportable: **Yes/No**