

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH**

CRWP No.1664 of 2016 (O&M)

Date of decision:- December 23, 2016

MUNNA RAM

....PETITIONER..

VS.

STATE OF PUNJAB AND OTHERS

....RESPONDENTS..

CORAM:- HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JASPAL SINGH

Present:- Mr. Upender Prasher, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

JASPAL SINGH, J. (Oral)

By virtue of instant petition preferred under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, the petitioner has sought issuance of direction especially a Writ in the nature of Habeas Corpus for releasing/production of detenue Rupinder Kaur i.e. respondent No.6, who has been illegally confined by respondents No. 4 and 5.

2. Perusal of petition transpires that marriage of respondent No.6 was solemnized with petitioner on 16.09.2016 and now, as per the version of learned counsel for the petitioner, she is alleged to have been illegally confined by respondents No. 4 and 5, who are none-else but the father and brother.

3. It is highly improbable that for the last about 1 month petitioner has not taken any action despite the fact that his wife has been illegally confined either by father or brother. In fact, it appears that after 16.09.2016, the date of her alleged marriage, some dispute has arisen and, in such,

circumstances, the instant petition is not maintainable.

4. Accordingly, the instant petition is dismissed.

5. However, the petitioner is at liberty to take recourse to the other remedies available under law including approaching the matrimonial court.

December 23, 2016
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(JASPAL SINGH)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned: Yes/No

Whether reportable: Yes/No