

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

**CRWP NO. 32 OF 2016 (O&M)
DECIDED ON : 08.01.2016**

Balbir Singh

...Petitioner

versus

State of Punjab and others

...Respondents

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JASPAL SINGH

- 1. Whether the Reporters of the Local papers 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 ?**

Present : Ms. Satpreet Grewal Kapila, Advocate.

JASPAL SINGH ,J.

This is a petition under Articles 226/227 of the Constitution of India, for issuance of writ in the nature of habeas corpus for release of detenu Harkamal Kaur, minor daughter of the petitioner, who is under unlawful custody of respondents No.4 to 10 and their relatives.

2. A perusal of the file reveals that a civil suit has already been filed by one Amarjit Kaur-sister of Balbir Singh which is pending in civil Court at Dasua for declaration that Harkamal Kaur d/o Balbir Singh is adopted daughter of Amarjit Kaur and her husband Sukhjit Singh since

the year 2000. The Civil Court has already ceased off the matter and it

cannot be said that Harkamal Kaur is illegally detained. However, a direction is issued to respondent No.2-Senior Superintendent of Police, Hoshiarpur, to look into the grievances unfolded by the petitioner in his representation dated January 01, 2016 (Annexure P-3) and to take appropriate action in accordance with law, within 15 days from the date of receipt of certified copy of this order.

(JASPAL SINGH)
JUDGE

JANUARY 08, 2016
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