

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

**CRWP No.511 of 2016
Date of Decision: April 23, 2016**

Sohan Lal Petitioner

vs.

State of Punjab and others Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE KULDIP SINGH

Present: Mr. Navjot Singh, Advocate for
Mr. Varun Katyal, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Navdeep Singh, DAG, Punjab.

Mr. Vipul Dharmani, Advocate for respondent Nos.4 to 7.

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)

Separate replies on behalf of the State, respondent No.4 and respondent Nos.5 to 7 have been filed in the Court today and the same are taken on record.

Report of the Warrant Officer has also been received. It is reported by the Warrant Officer that with the help of police, he visited the office of Truck Union, Village Manku Majra, District Roop Nagar, where detainee Pawan Kumar was found along with his truck bearing registration No.PB-10BA-9537. Respondent Nos.5 to 7 were not found present there and as informed by detainee Pawan Kumar, they fled from the spot five minutes ago.

Reply filed on behalf of the State shows that a complaint was filed by the present petitioner that he was awarded a contract of

lifting wheat from Grain Market Takhatgarh and Dumewal but the private respondents belonging to Truck Union, Nurpur Bedi and Manku Majra were restraining them to lift the wheat.

Respondent Nos.4 to 7 also took the stand that they never illegally detained Pawan Kumar. Detenue Pawan Kumar has since been recovered and released.

In these circumstances, the habeas corpus is disposed of with liberty to the petitioner to file a criminal complaint before the competent court, if he so advised.

April 23, 2016
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(KULDIP SINGH)
JUDGE