

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

**CRWP NO. 367 OF 2018
DATE OF DECISION : 18.05.2018**

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...Petitioner

versus

State of Punjab and others

...Respondents

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL

Present : Mr. Mohit Sadana, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

Mr. Ramandeep Singh Sandhu, Sr. DAG, Punjab.

Mr. Joban Singh, Advocate,
for respondent No.2.

ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL, J.(ORAL)

The petitioner is seeking issuance of a writ in the nature of habeas corpus, for producing the alleged detenu Lovepreet Singh son of Joginder Singh son of Kandhara Singh resident of village Mudh Khokhar (Mudh Bhilowal), Tehsil Ajnala, District Amritsar.

It is stated in the petition that the petitioner is paternal grand mother of alleged detenu namely Lovepreet Singh and he has been kept in illegal custody of respondent No.6.

Reply by way of affidavit of Deputy Superintendent of Police, Valtoha Camp at Bhikhiwind, District Tarn Taran, has been filed on behalf of respondents No.1, 2, 3 and 5, wherein it is stated that alleged detenu Lovepreet Singh @ Roop Singh is residing with

respondent No.6, on the basis of self declaration dated 04.03.2013 furnished by the petitioner herself, which was duly witnessed by the respectable. Copies of the self declaration, school certificate and report of SHO, Police Station Khem Karan, District Tarn Taran, in this regard are annexed as Annexures R-1/T to R-3/T.

Lovepreet Singh @ Roop Singh is present in Court. Upon query put to him by this Court, he has stated that he is happily residing with respondent No.6 and is studying in Class 4. He has also expressed his wish to reside with respondent No.6 in future as well.

Consequently, no further directions are called for in this petition, which stands disposed of. However, it is clarified that this order shall not be construed to be an expression on the merits of the case with regard to custody of Lovepreet Singh @ Roop Singh which is stated to be pending before the Guardian Courts at Ajnala.

(ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL)
JUDGE

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