

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CRWP-957-2018

Date of Decision:-18.12.2018

Gurjant Singh

... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others

... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE GURVINDER SINGH GILL

Present:- Mr. Harshit Jain, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Ms. Ruchika Sabherwal, AAG, Punjab
for respondents No.1 to 3.

GURVINDER SINGH GILL, J. (Oral)

Pursuant to directions issued by this Court on 28.11.2018, ASI Darshan Singh has produced the alleged detenue-Jaspreet Kaur in the Court. Upon a query put by this Court to said Jaspreet Kaur, she has stated that she is residing with respondent No.5-Bagga @ Money out of her own accord and free will and that she had solemnized marriage with Bagga @ Money.

Faced with the aforesaid position, learned counsel for the petitioner submits that in fact when the marriage had been solemnized, the aforesaid detenue was less than 18 years of age and that FIR No.159 dated

20.11.2018 has been got lodged against Bagga @ Money and others at the instance of the petitioner.

Since the detenue has stated before this Court that she is residing out of her own accord with Bagga @ Money-respondent No.5, therefore, no further directions are required to be issued in this petition.

It is however clarified that the factum of the alleged marriage of detenue Jaspreet Kaur with Bagga @ Money shall not confer any immunity upon the private respondents in case it is found that they have committed any offence punishable under law.

The petition stands dismissed with the aforesaid clarifications.

(GURVINDER SINGH GILL)
JUDGE

18.12.2018
Gaurav Sorot

Whether reasoned / speaking?	Yes / No
Whether reportable?	Yes / No