

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

CRM-M-8591-2019
Date of decision: 27.03.2019

Mangal Singh

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN

Present:- Mr. Manu Loona, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Joginder Pal Ratra, DAG, Punjab.

ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN, J. (Oral)

Prayer in this petition is for issuance of direction to respondent Nos. 2 and 3 to take appropriate legal action against respondent Nos. 4 to 8 on the representation submitted by the petitioner.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submitted that respondent No. 8 Kulwinder Kaur is the minor daughter of the petitioner and she was lured by respondent No. 4 Veerpal Singh @ Veeru and she left the home in the intervening night of 13.01.2019. Thereafter, respondent Nos. 4 and 8 filed a petition bearing CRM-M-2351-2019 praying for protection of their life and liberty, which was disposed of by issuing a direction to Superintendent of Police, Fazilka to look into their grievances, vide order dated 18.01.2019 (Annexure P-2).

Learned counsel for the petitioner further submitted that respondent No. 8 Kulwinder Kaur is in fact minor and she has wrongly given her date of birth by showing herself to be major.

In pursuance to the notice of motion, Lady Constable

Parwinder Kaur, CIA Staff, Fazilka has produced respondent No. 8 Kulwinder Kaur in Court today and she was sent to Mediation and Conciliation Centre of this Court for her counseling and recording of her statement.

The Mediator has recorded the statement of Kulwinder Kaur, wherein she has stated that she is major as per Ration Card and is happily living in her matrimonial home and does not want to go back with her parents. She has further stated that her husband owns two quillas of land in village Gatti No. 1 and she has met with her father and maternal aunt who were present in the mediation center.

In view of the above, no further action is called for in the present petition.

However, Superintendent of Police, Fazilka is directed to look into the grievances of the petitioner, if any, as well as the grievances of respondent Nos. 4 and 8, as per direction issued in CRM-M-2351-2019 and take appropriate legal action, if so required.

March 27, 2019

Waseem Ansari

**(ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN)
JUDGE**

Whether speaking/reasoned

Yes/No

Whether reportable

Yes/No