

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CRWP-227-2019

Date of Decision: 12.03.2019

Sukhjeet Singh

.. Petitioner

Vs.

State of Punjab and others

..Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE INDERJIT SINGH

Present: Mr. Sarvesh Kumar Gupta, Advocate for the petitioner.

Ms. Monika Jalota, DAG, Punjab.

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Inderjit Singh, J. (Oral)

This Criminal Writ Petition has been filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India for issuance of a writ in the nature of Habeas Corpus for directing respondent Nos.1 to 3 to produce detinue Geeta Kaur, who is in illegal custody of respondent Nos.4 to 6.

Notice of motion was issued and respondent No.3-SHO concerned was directed to visit the house of private respondents and make enquiry as to whether detinue-Geeta Kaur is residing there with her own consent or has been detained by her parents illegally and forcibly. If he finds that the detinue has been kept forcibly and against her wishes, then she be produced in the Court, otherwise to submit his report.

Alleged detinue Geeta Kaur has been produced by the police. She states that she is residing with her parents of her own and she has not been forcibly kept by them.

As the detinue has been produced by the police as per the direction given by this Court, she be left at the residence of her parents.

However, it is made clear that she has not been detained illegally by her parents and is residing with them as per her own consent.

The petition stands dismissed accordingly.

The detainee Geeta Kaur is at liberty to go with the petitioner or to reside with her parents as per her own consent.

12.03.2019
Jasmine Kaur

(INDERJIT SINGH)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned	Yes
Whether reportable	No