

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CRWP-389-2019

Date of Decision: 02.05.2019

Jeevan Singh

.. Petitioner

Vs.

State of Punjab and others

..Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE INDERJIT SINGH

Present: Mr. Kehar Singh Hissowal, Advocate for the petitioner.

Ms. Monika Jalota, DAG, Punjab.

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Inderjit Singh, J. (Oral)

This is a petition under Article 226/227 of the Constitution of India for issuance of a roving writ in the nature of Habeas Corpus for releasing detainee Manpreet Sharma @ Mani from the illegal custody of respondent Nos.5 and 6.

Notice of motion was issued. Respondent No.4-SHO, Police Station City Kotkapura, District Faridkot was directed to visit the given addresses of respondent Nos.5 and 6 and find out as to whether detainee Manpreet Sharma @ Mani is residing there with her own consent or has been confined illegally by respondent nos.5 and 6. If it is found so, then she be produced immediately before this Court.

Alleged detainee Manpreet Sharma @ Mani has been produced before this Court. On being inquired, she has disclosed that she is aged about 16 years old. She states that she is residing with her mother as per her own wish. She further states that she has not been illegally detained by anybody and she wants to resider with her mother.

The petitioner, on the last date was directed to deposit Rs.10,000/- with the Registrar General of this Court to show his bonafide, but the same has not been deposited so far.

In view of the statement made by the detenue, the instant petition is dismissed with direction to the petitioner to deposit costs with Id. CJM/Duty Magistrate, Faridkot within 10 days from today which shall be paid to detenue Manpreet Sharma @ Mani.

If petitioner fails to deposit the costs within the stipulated period, then Id. CJM, Faridkot is directed to get it recovered as arrears of land revenue from the petitioner to be paid to the detenue as per law.

02.05.2019
Jasmine Kaur

(INDERJIT SINGH)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned
Whether reportable

Yes
No