

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CRWP No.7638 of 2020
Date of Decision :27.10.2020

Kulveer Kaur

.....Petitioner

Versus

State

..... Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE ARUN PALLI, JUDGE

Present: By order.
Mr. B.S.Sewak, Addl.A.G. Punjab.
(The aforesaid presence is being recorded through video conferencing
since the proceedings are being conducted in virtual Court)

ARUN PALLI, J. (Oral):

Complaint submitted by the petitioner Kulveer Kaur, received in the secretariat of Hon'ble the Chief Justice on 16.09.2020, was processed by the Registry and was ordered to be registered as criminal writ petition (habeas corpus).

For, Harjit Singh @ Pappu son of the petitioner, who was alleged to have been picked up by the local police from his house, vide order dated 13.10.2020, a Co-ordinate Bench of this Court had required the Commissioner of Police, Ludhiana, to trace his whereabouts and produce him in Court on 26.10.2020.

An affidavit dated 24.10.2020, has been filed by the Assistant Commissioner of Police, Industrial Area-B, Ludhiana, which reveals that owing to theft of a motorcycle, FIR No.57 dated 20.03.2020, under Section 379 of IPC, Police Station Shimlapuri, Ludhiana, was registered against unidentified person. And, for, during investigation, it transpired that son of

the petitioner was a habitual offender and 7 different FIRs for theft were registered against him, the local police joined him in the investigation on 20.08.2020. However, on further investigation, it was found that son of the petitioner was not involved in the said case and was therefore, released immediately. Statements of the petitioner as also her son Harjit Singh (alleged detainee) were also recorded wherein they had submitted that after joining the investigation on 20.08.2020, in the FIR (ibid), son of the petitioner was released.

Learned State counsel submits that in compliance of the order dated 13.10.2020 (supra), the petitioner as also her son were present at Police Station Shimlapuri, Ludhiana, during the hearing today and he has spoken to them on phone and confirmed that son of the petitioner had actually been released by the police after a brief investigation on 20.08.2020 and since then he is residing with his mother.

Thus, in the wake of the above, the petition is rendered infructuous and is disposed of accordingly.

(ARUN PALLI)
JUDGE

27.10.2020

Manoj Bhutani

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