

**154 IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH**

CRWP-8724-2020(O&M)

Date of decision: 21.10.2020

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.....Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others

.....Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANIL KSHETARPAL

Present:- Mr.H.S.Baath, Advocate for the petitioner
Mr. Bhupender Beniwal, AAG, Punjab

ANIL KSHETARPAL, J. (ORAL)

The alleged detenues are working in a brick kiln. It has been alleged that they are being forced to work against their wishes.

District Magistrate of the district is the authority specifically authorized under Section 10 of the Bonded Labour System (Abolition) Act, 1976 to deal with such cases.

Accordingly, the petitioner is relegated to the remedy before the District Magistrate. The representation dated 19.10.2020 filed by the petitioner shall be decided by the concerned District Magistrate within two weeks.

Disposed of.

21.10.2020

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Whether speaking/reasoned

Whether Reportable

(ANIL KSHETARPAL)

JUDGE

Yes / No

Yes / No