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

CRWP-6209-2021

Date of Decision: 07.07.2021

Sayem Verma

.. Petitioner

Vs.

State of Haryana and others

..Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE MANOJ BAJAJ

Present: Mr. Parminder Singh, Advocate for the petitioner.

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Manoj Bajaj, J. (Oral)

By means of this writ petition under Article 226 Constitution of India, petitioner has prayed for issuance of a writ in the nature of Habeas Corpus directing the official respondents Nos.1 to 3 to search/release detenue Priyanka, his wife from the illegal custody of private respondents.

Learned counsel has argued that the petitioner got married with Priyanka in May, 2021 and thereafter, they sought protection through CRWP-4958-2021, as they were receiving threats from the private respondents No.4 to 8. He has invited the attention of the Court to the order dated 01.06.2021 (Annexure P-5) to contend that the petition was filed by him along with his wife. He submits that his wife has been forcibly taken away by the private respondents and is presently in their illegal detention. He prays for issuance of writ in the nature of Habeas Corpus for her release.

During the course of hearing, it is not disputed by him that the marriage was performed recently and its validity and correctness has not been commented upon by this Court in order dated 01.06.2021. Since the detenue is residing with her parents and other close relatives, therefore, in

the absence of any proof of valid marriage, this Court is not inclined to exercise the extraordinary writ jurisdiction, particularly when the petitioner can avail alternative remedy.

Dismissed.

07.07.2021
Jasmine Kaur

(MANOJ BAJAJ)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned	Yes	No
Whether reportable	Yes	No