

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

**CRWP-7812-2021  
Date of decision: 14.09.2021**

**Mahesh Pandey**

**...Petitioner**

**Versus**

**State of Punjab and Others**

**...Respondents**

**CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN**

Present:- Mr. G. S. Verma, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Joginder Pal Ratra, DAG, Punjab.

(Through Video Conferencing)

**ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN, J. (Oral)**

Prayer in this petition is for issuance of a writ in the nature of habeas corpus for releasing the minor daughter of the petitioner namely Sapna, aged about 16 years, from the illegal custody of respondent Nos.4 and 5.

Reply way way of an affidavit of the Assistant Commissioner of Police, Industrial Area-A, Ludhiana is filed in the Court and the same is taken on record. As per the reply, the detenue has been recovered and her custody is handed over to the petitioner. It is further stated that FIR No.219 dated 19.08.2021 under Sections 363 and 366-A of the IPC stands registered at Police Station Focal Point, Ludhiana against respondent No.4 namely Ashish Kumar Tiwari and he has been arrested.

In view of the same, no further action is called for.

Accordingly, the present petition is disposed of as infructuous.

**14.09.2021  
Chetan Thakur**

**(ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN)  
JUDGE**

*Whether speaking/reasoned  
Whether reportable*

*Yes/No  
Yes/No*