

**Sr.No.223**

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

**CRWP-10577 of 2020  
Date of decision:05.01.2021**

**Davinder Singh**

**... Petitioner(s)**

**versus**

**State of Punjab and others**

**... Respondent (s)**

**Coram: Hon'ble Mr. Justice Jasgurpreet Singh Puri**

**Present:** Mr. Barjesh Kumar Sharma, Advocate  
for the petitioner(through message on whatsapp group only).

Mr. Luvinder Sofat, Asst.AG, Punjab.

**Through Video Conference**

**Jasgurpreet Singh Puri, J.(Oral)**

Present petition has been filed under Article 226 of Constitution of India seeking a writ in the nature of habeas corpus directing respondents No.2 and 3 to release the detenue namely, Jaspreet Kaur wife of the petitioner Davinder Singh.

On 17.12.2020 in the present case notice of motion was issued and Senior Superintendent of Police, Police District Khanna, District Ludhiana was directed to deput Senior Lady Officer in this regard who will visit the house of respondent No.4 or at any other place pointed by the petitioner and thereafter, to secure the life of the alleged detenue and to take further appropriate measure as required in accordance with law.

Today, short reply has been filed by Hardeep Singh, Deputy Superintendent of Police, Sub-Division Payal, Police District Khanna, District Ludhiana in which it has been stated that in pursuance of the

directions issued by this Court, lady officer was deputed in this regard and on the basis of the statements recorded by her of respondent No.4 and wife of the petitioner who is the alleged detainee, Jaspreet Kaur has since been handed over to the petitioner. It has been stated in the affidavit that at present Jaspreet Kaur is living her married life happily with her husband(petitioner) at village Haripur, Block Amloh, District Fatehgarh Sahib.

Learned counsel for the petitioner has not joined the video conference today and he has sent a message in the whatsapp group by stating that the detainee has since been handed over to the petitioner who is the husband of the detainee and therefore, the petition has become infructuous.

In view of the reply filed by the State of Punjab and in view of the message sent by learned counsel for the petitioner, nothing survives in the present petition and the same is hereby dismissed as infructuous.

**5<sup>th</sup> January, 2021**

Shivani Kaushik

**[JASGURPREET SINGH PURI]  
JUDGE**

*Whether speaking/reasoned*

*Yes/No*

Whether Reportable

Yes/No