

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

**CRWP-4710-2020 (O&M)
Date of decision : 27.10.2022**

AMARJIT KAUR

... Petitioner(s)

Versus

STATE OF PUNJAB AND OTHERS

...Respondent(s)

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JASJIT SINGH BEDI

Present: Mr. Deepak Kumar, Advocate for the petitioner(s).

Mr. Jaiteshwar Singh, Asst. A.G., Punjab.

Mr. Rajat Mor, Advocate for respondent No.4.

JASJIT SINGH BEDI, J. (ORAL)

The prayer in the present petition under Articles 226/227 of the Constitution of India is for the issuance of a writ in the nature of Habeas Corpus and for the appointment of a Warrant Officer with a roving writ to search for the detenues namely, Jatin and Mishika at the premises of respondent No.4, who happens to be the father of the alleged detenues.

A perusal of the orders of this Court would show that the matter came up for hearing on 09.07.2020, on which date notice was issued. Thereafter, it has been adjourned from time to time and interim protection granted on 07.07.2021 was also continuing. It has been brought to the notice of this Court that during the pendency of this petition, the petitioner (mother) has approached the learned Family Court, Rupnagar by moving an appropriate application and respondent No.4 (father) has filed his response to the same.

In view of the above, I deem it appropriate to dispose of this petition with the directions to the learned Family Court, Rupnagar to decide the case not later than 03 months from the next date fixed before it. Till the decision of the Family Court, Rupnagar the custody of the children shall remain with respondent No.4 (father).

The learned Family Court, Rupnagar shall decide this case uninfluenced by any observations made in the present order or any previous orders.

(JASJIT SINGH BEDI)
JUDGE

27.10.2022
JITESH

Whether speaking/reasoned:- Yes/No

Whether reportable:- Yes/No