

**CRWP-8465-2022**

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

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**Date of decision:09.12.2022**

Veero

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others

.....Respondents

**CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARNARESH SINGH GILL**

Present:- Mr. Ashish Soi, Advocate,  
for the petitioner.

Mr. Harkanwar Jeet Singh, AAG, Punjab.

**HARNARESH SINGH GILL, J. (ORAL)**

The present petition has been filed under Article 226 of the Constitution for issuance of a writ in the nature of *habeas corpus* for the release of detainee, Harpreet Singh, son of the petitioner, from the alleged illegal detention of respondents No.3 and 4, by appointing a Warrant Officer.

Vide order dated 01.09.2022, Warrant Officer was appointed to visit the premises of Police Station Haibowal and Police Post Jagatpuri where the detainee was alleged to be detained illegally.

In compliance thereof, the Warrant Officer has submitted the report. As per the report, a raid was conducted on 01.09.2022, at about 8.30 p.m., that Rajvir Singh (brother-in-law of detainee) recognized the detainee while sitting on a *Sofa*, opposite the entry gate of the police post, and that on a suspicion of theft, the detainee was beaten up by the public and handed over to the police.

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Learned State counsel submits that Harpreet Singh (alleged detainee) was never detained illegally, rather when the Warrant Officer reached the police station, the alleged detainee was sitting on the Sofa, opposite the entry gate of the police post; that the alleged detainee was called for investigation qua the complaint dated 31.08.2022 made by Charanjot Singh for theft of battery, but later on, the alleged detainee was handed over to his family members.

Keeping in view the fact that the alleged detainee was sitting outside the police post, when the Warrant Officer reached the police station, and the fact that after investigation in the complaint made by Charanjot Singh, the alleged detainee was handed over to his family members, no further orders are called for.

Dismissed.

**09.12.2022**

parveen kumar

**(HARNARESH SINGH GILL)**

**JUDGE**

Whether reasoned/speaking?

Yes/No

Whether reportable?

Yes/No