

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

253 CRWP-8668-2023 (O&M)
Date of Decision: 13.09.2023

Ikbal Petitioner
Versus
State of Haryana and others Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANOOP CHITKARA

Present:- None for the petitioner.

Mr. Rajat Gautam, Addl. A.G. Haryana.

Mr. Prashant Singh Chauhan, Advocate for respondents No. 4 and 5.

Detenue in person with L/SI Babita, 504, P.S. City Sohna.

ANOOP CHITKARA, J. (ORAL)

The present petition is for issuance of a writ in the nature of habeas corpus for search and release of daughter of the petitioner from the illegal custody of respondents No. 4 and 5.

2. In compliance of order dated 02.09.2023 passed by a co-ordinate Bench of this Court, detenue is present in the Court and states that she is aged 21 years. State counsel submits that the petitioner had also filed an FIR against private respondents in the State of Uttar Pradesh, as such, a Judicial Magistrate at Meerut had recorded the statement of detenue under Section 164 Cr.P.C. The investigator has supplied a photocopy of the said statement to this Court, which is taken on record.
3. Perusal of said statement reflects that she is staying voluntarily with respondent No.4-Vijay Kumar and now, they had performed marriage on 19.08.2023. However, detenue states that there is a error in the statement, in fact, the marriage had taken place on 29.08.2023.
4. Be that as it may, since the detenue is major and she has liberty to stay wherever she wants to stay, therefore, no further order is required to be passed in the present petition and the same is disposed of. All pending miscellaneous applications, if any, stand disposed of.

(ANOOP CHITKARA)
JUDGE

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Whether speaking/reasoned	Yes/No
Whether Reportable	Yes/No