

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

(134)

CRWP-11529-2023

Date of decision:- 30.11.2023

Maan Singh

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SUVIR SEHGAL

Present:- Ms. Aarushi Garg, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. A.P.S.Tung, DAG, Punjab.

SUVIR SEHGAL, J. (Oral)

1. Instant petition has been filed under Section 226 of the Constitution of India for issuance of a writ in the nature of habeas corpus for production and release of the minor detenues, Karan Singh and Kamal Singh, aged about 7 years, who were illegally taken into custody by police on 24.11.2023 at about 06:00 A.M. from the premises of the Gurudwara Akal Banga Sultanpurlodhi, District Kapurthala.
2. State counsel has placed on record *Xerox* copies of two orders. By first order dated 29.11.2023 passed by the Child Welfare Committee, Kapurthala, custody of a male child (Kamal Singh) has been handed over to his father after due verification and confirmation of his parental status. By second order dated 24.11.2023, Child Welfare Committee, Kapurthala has sent the second recovered child (Karan Singh) to an Aashram. Copies of the orders have been handed over to the counsel for the petitioner.
3. Counsel for the petitioner concedes that the custody of one child has been taken by his father and submits that the parents of the second child will take his custody immediately. She submits that the prayer made in the petition has become infructuous.
4. Dismissed as having been rendered infructuous.

30.11.2023

(SUVIR SEHGAL)
JUDGE

Kamal

Whether Speaking/Reasoned	Yes/No
Whether Reportable	Yes/No