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IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

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Date of Decision: 13.05.2024

Ranjha

..... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others

..... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SANDEEP MOUDGIL

Present: Mr. Mohd. Salim, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Rajiv Verma, DAG, Punjab.

SANDEEP MOUDGIL, J (ORAL)

This petition has been filed for issuance of writ in the nature of Habeas Corpus and for appointment of Warrant Officer for release of the detenue namely Nija, aged about 18 years-wife of the petitioner from illegal custody of private respondents No.4 to 10.

This Court after hearing learned counsel for the petitioner on 06.05.2024 directed the State to file the status report with a direction to produce the alleged detenue in Court.

In compliance thereto, status report by way of affidavit of Surendra Lamba, IPS, Senior Superintendent of Police, Hoshiapur, District Hoshiarpur has been filed in Court, which is taken on record.

The alleged detenue, namely, Nija, has been produced in Court and is accompanied by ASI Amit Kumar. On asking of the Court, she blatantly refused to join the company of the petitioner and rather prefers to

