



IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

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CRWP-8016-2024

Date of decision: 30.08.2024

Balbir Kaur

.....Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others

.....Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE MANJARI NEHRU KAUL

Present : Mr. Santosh Kumar, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Amit Rana, Sr. DAG, Punjab.

MANJARI NEHRU KAUL, J. (ORAL)

1. The petitioner has approached this Court under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, seeking a writ in the nature of Habeas Corpus, directing the respondents to release her daughter namely Reema Kaur forthwith from the illegal custody of respondents No.4 to 6.

2. In compliance of order dated 20.08.2024, report from learned Chief Judicial Magistrate, Bathinda has been received wherein it has been reported that the alleged detainee was not produced by the police officials before the Court in compliance of order dated 20.08.2024.

3. Short reply by way of affidavit of Amneet Kondal, IPS, Senior Superintendent of Police, Bathinda, on behalf of respondents No.1 to 3, has been filed in the Court today which is taken on record subject to all just exceptions. A copy of the same has been supplied to



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the counsel opposite.

4. Learned State counsel, on instructions, has submitted that a raid was carried out on the place where the alleged detainee had been illegally detained by respondents No.4 to 6, however, she was not found there, hence, an FIR bearing No.96 dated 22.08.2024 now stands registered against respondents No.4 to 6 under Sections 137(2) and 96 of the Bharatiya Nyaya Sanhita, 2023 at Police Station City Rampura.

5. Learned counsel appearing for the petitioner submits that he would not press the instant petition in view of the reply filed by the State.

6. Dismissed as not pressed.

30.08.2024

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(MANJARI NEHRU KAUL)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned	:	Yes/No
Whether reportable	:	Yes/No