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

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Date of decision: 09.12.2024**

Manpreet Singh**....Petitioner.**

Versus

State of Punjab and others**....Respondents.****CORAM:- HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SANJIV BERRY**

Present:- Mr. Jaspreet Singh Brar, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

Mr. Rajinder Singh Bhatta, DAG, Punjab.

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SANJIV BERRY, J. (ORAL)

Instant petition under Article 226/227 of the Constitution of India has been preferred seeking issuance of a writ in the nature of habeas corpus directing respondents No. 2 and 3 to get release the detenue namely Ashmeen Kaur, who is the wife of the petitioner, from the custody of respondent No. 4 to 6.

2. Heard.

3. The case put forth, *inter alia*, by learned counsel for the petitioner, is that the petitioner had married to the said Ashmeen Kaur on 15.10.2024 and she has been forcibly kept by her parents and uncle, i.e. respondents No. 4 to 6.



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4. At the very outset, learned State counsel, on instructions from ASI Gurmukh Singh, P.S. Jaitu, has stated that the police had recorded the statement of the detainee, namely Ashmeen Kaur, a major on 30.11.2024, wherein she has categorically stated that she does not want to accompany the petitioner and pointed out that the case FIR No. 144 dated 28.10.2024 is also registered against the petitioner on the complaint of respondent No. 4 under Section 127(6) and 61(2) of the BNS at Police Station Jaitu.

5. Mr. Nitin Garg, Advocate, has put in appearance on behalf of the detainee, namely Ms. Ashmeen Kaur, who is also present in Court and filed his vakalatnama. The same is taken on record. The said detainee has categorically stated in the Court that she does not want to accompany the petitioner.

6. At this stage, learned counsel for the petitioner has sought withdrawal of the instant petition with liberty to avail the appropriate remedy as is available to the petitioner in accordance with the law.

7. Dismissed as withdrawn with the aforesaid liberty.

(SANJIV BERRY)
JUDGE

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| i) | Whether speaking/reasoned? | Yes/No |
| ii) | Whether reportable? | Yes/No |