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

CRWP-6639-2026**Date of Decision: 08.06.2026**

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...Petitioner

vs.

State of Punjab and others

...Respondents

Coram : Hon'ble Mr. Justice N.S.Shekhawat

Present : Mr. Varun Sharma, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Charanpreet Singh, AAG, Punjab.

Mr. Ravi Verma, Advocate
for respondents No.4 to 6 and the alleged detainee, Rajni.

N.S.Shekhawat J. (Oral)

1. The petitioner has filed the present petition under Articles 226/227 of the Constitution of India with a prayer for issuance of a writ in the nature of Habeas Corpus directing the respondents No.1 to 3 to locate the whereabouts of wife of the petitioner and detainee, namely, Rajni Bala, who has been illegally detained by respondents No.4 to 6 and their other associates at some unknown place. A further prayer has been made to protect the life, liberty and property of detainee Rajni Bala, petitioner and his other family members, at the hands of respondents No.4 to 6 and their other associates.

2. In compliance of the order dated 03.06.2026, the alleged detainee, namely, Rajni Bala has appeared before this Court.



3. During the course of hearing, I interacted with the alleged detainee, Rajni Bala, in Court. She submitted that she is about 34 years of age and is presently residing happily with her parents. She further stated that she does not wish to accompany the petitioner.

4. Since Rajni Bala is residing with her parents of her own free will and is not under any illegal detention, no further orders are required to be passed by this Court. Accordingly, the present petition is dismissed.

5. Needless to observe that both the parties will be at liberty to avail their alternative remedies, if any, in accordance with law.

(N.S.SHEKHAWAT)
JUDGE

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Whether reportable	:	Yes/No