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Missing Schoolgirl Rescued After Ten Days; Neighbour Arrested

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The girl's parents making a distressed appeal after she went missing.

CASE SUMMARY

16 March disappearance	A schoolgirl went missing in Ghaziabad district on her way to school.
25 March notice	The child rights commission asked Ghaziabad police for a report on the action taken.
Recovery	The girl was rescued after 10 days of confinement, during which she was allegedly raped.
Arrest confirmed on 1 April	Loni police said a suspect had been arrested and booked under kidnapping, rape, child protection and Scheduled Castes atrocity provisions.
Trafficking allegation	The girl's father alleged an intended sale. Police said they had found no information supporting the allegation at that stage.

THE TAKEAWAY

Police brought the rape charge on the basis of the girl's statement while they awaited the medical report.

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