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Delhi Police Omitted the Suspect’s Name in Missing Girl Case

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Police inaction leaves girls vulnerable to abuse and trafficking. (GettyImages)

CASE SUMMARY

Disappearance	The girl went missing on 13 August. Her mother said the girl's sisters told her that a neighbour had taken them to a park in Rohini and told them to leave the youngest behind.
FIR omission	The FIR referred to an unidentified man even though the girl's sister had named the neighbour to police, according to the account.
First commission hearing	The National Commission for Scheduled Castes held its first hearing on 28 August with Delhi police officials and the girl's parents.
Request for NIA involvement	On 4 September, the commission asked the National Investigation Agency to intervene.
Reported rescue	Swarajya received word that the girl was rescued and the accused arrested on 5 September. Police had yet to confirm either at publication.

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