Question 778) - A man sold a slave and then the buyer resold it. The second buyer returned him to the first buyer because of a defect. May he return the slave to the first seller?

A: If the second seller i.e. the first buyer is forced by a court ruling to take the slave back then he may return him to the first seller. If he accepted the slave without a court ruling then he may not.

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