

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH
(through video conferencing)**

CRM-M-29289-2020
Decided on : 24.09.2020

Kulbir Singh Sawhney

..... Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana & ors.

..... Respondents

CORAM : HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE MANJARI NEHRU KAUL

Present : Mr. Sunil Chadha, Sr. Advocate with
Mr. Akshay Chadha, Advocate, for the petitioner.

Manjari Nehru Kaul, J.

Prayer in the instant petition filed under Section 482 Cr.P.C. for handing over the investigation in the complaint dated 20.11.2019 (Annexure P-9) made by the petitioner against respondent Nos.9 and 10 to respondent Nos 1 to 4 as no action has been taken by the UHBVN and its authorities including its HPU's Vigilance Department- respondent No.5.

2. Learned senior counsel for the petitioner contends a complaint dated 20.11.2019 (Annexure P-9) was made to Superintending Engineer, UHBVN against respondents No.9 and 10 for demanding illegal gratification from him. However, since no action was taken by the concerned official, he subsequently moved complaints/representations dated 13.07.2020 (Annexures P-26 to P-28) to respondents No.2 to 4. However, despite the aforementioned complaints/representations having been given, the respondents are sitting over the matter.

3. After arguing for some time, learned senior counsel submits that he would be satisfied, if the petition is disposed off with a direction to respondent No.2 to consider and decide his complaint/representation dated 13.07.2020 (Annexure P-26) within a specific time frame and take appropriate action in the matter.

4. Notice of motion.
5. On the asking of Court, Mr. Apoorv Garg, DAG, Haryana, accepts notice on behalf of respondents No.1 and 2.
6. In view of the limited prayer made by the petitioner, the petition is disposed off with a direction to respondent No.2 -Director General, Vigilance Bureau, Haryana to look into the representation dated 13.07.2020 (Annexure P-26) and take appropriate action, if any required, in accordance with law, preferably within a period of two months from the date of receipt of the certified copy of this order.
6. The present petition stands disposed of.

(MANJARI NEHRU KAUL)
JUDGE

24.09.2020

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Whether speaking/reasoned:	Yes/No
Whether reportable :	Yes/No