

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

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**CRM-M-7444 of 2021**

**Date of Decision: 17.03.2021**

Dalbir Singh

Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others

Respondents

**CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE AVNEESH JHINGAN**

Present: Mr. Saurav Bhatia, Advocate for the petitioner.  
Ms. Bhavna Gupta, DAG, Punjab.

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**AVNEESH JHINGAN, J (Oral):**

The matter is taken up for hearing through video conference due to COVID-19 situation.

This petition is filed for issuance of directions to the official respondents to conduct fair and speedy investigation in the complaint dated 31.1.2020.

On the last date of hearing, learned counsel for the State sought time to file status report.

Today, on instructions from SI-Pritpal Singh, learned counsel for the State submits that the complaint was marked to Station House Officer and was looked into by the Sub Inspector. After enquiry it was concluded that it is a matter of Section 506 IPC for which a complaint is required to be filed. An application was moved before the Magistrate which

was not entertained on the ground that the complaint can be filed by the complainant only.

In view of the statement made by learned counsel for the State, learned counsel for the petitioner seeks permission to withdraw the present petition with liberty to avail remedies in accordance with law.

Dismissed as withdrawn with liberty as prayed for.

**[AVNEESH JHINGAN]**  
**JUDGE**

**17<sup>th</sup> March, 2021**  
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| 1. Whether speaking/ reasoned | : | Yes / No |
| 2. Whether reportable         | : | Yes / No |