

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH

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CRM-M-17772 of 2023 (O&M)
DATE OF DECISION:- 13.04.2023

Deepak Kumar

...Petitioner

vs.

State of Punjab and others

...Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARKESH MANUJA

Present: Mr. Bharat Julka, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Tarun Aggarwal, Sr. DAG, Punjab.

HARKESH MANUJA, J.

Prayer made in this petition filed under Section 482 Cr.P.C., is for issuance of directions to respondents No.2 and 3 for conducting fair and impartial investigation against respondents No. 5 to 9 for having cheating the petitioner.

A perusal of the petition shows that the petitioner has already approached the official respondents who upon his complaint issued notice under Section 41(A) Cr.P.C. to the private respondents, however, instead of appearing before the official respondents, respondents No.5 to 9 sought further time for appearance. All this took place in January, 2022 and since then no further steps have been taken by the official respondents.

Upon advance notice, Mr. Tarun Aggarwal, Sr. DAG, appears and on instructions from Jitender Singh, Incharge, Cyber Crime, Ludhiana, submits that inquiry based on the complaint submitted by the petitioner shall be concluded within a period of 8 weeks from today after affording him opportunity of hearing, besides granting him a chance to produce all the

documents.

In view of the aforesaid, the present petition is disposed of with a direction to the official respondents to conclude the inquiry against the private respondents upon a complaint submitted by the petitioner within a period of 8 weeks.

Pending application(s) if any also stand disposed of.

13.04.2023
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(HARKESH MANUJA)
JUDGE

whether speaking/reasoned: Yes/No
whether reportable: Yes/No