

CRM-M No.64633 of 2023

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

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Date of Decision: 21.12.2023

NISHAN SINGH

.....Petitioner

Vs

UNION OF INDIA AND OTHERS

....Respondent(s)

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARKESH MANUJA

Present: Mr. Peeush Gagneja, Advocate
for the petitioner

HARKESH MANUJA, J. (Oral)

[1]. By way of present petition under Section 482 Cr.P.C., prayer has been made for the issuance of direction to the respondents to conduct fair and impartial investigation in pursuance of letter dated 16.04.2021 issued by Office Commandant, Air Force Station, Halwara, District Ludhiana and Station Headquarter (Army) through Administration Commandant, Ferozepur Cantt.

[2]. Mr. Karan Bhardwaj, Advocate appears on behalf of respondent No.1/Union of India.

[3]. Upon advance notice, Mr. Anmol Singh Sandhu, Asstt. A.G., Punjab appears on behalf of respondent Nos.2 to 5 and informs that the enquiry into the allegations made in the letter dated 16.04.2021 is pending sub-judice before the Deputy Commissioner, Ferozepur and the same shall be concluded at the earliest. He further submits that since the complaint was moved on 16.04.2021 and the

enquiry is pending for the last 2½ years, the same shall be concluded within a period of 06 (six) weeks from today.

[4]. In view of above, the present petition is disposed of with a direction to the Deputy Commissioner, Ferozepur to conclude the enquiry within the aforesaid period of six weeks.

[5]. At this stage, it may be pointed out that in case the enquiry is not concluded within the stipulated period, the petitioner would be at liberty to seeks revival of the present petition by moving an application in this regard and by furnishing an advance copy of the same to the office of Advocate General, Punjab. On the date of listing of the said application, the Deputy Commissioner, Ferozepur shall remain present in Court on the date fixed to explain the delay, if at all in the conclusion of enquiry.

December 21, 2023
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(HARKESH MANUJA)
JUDGE

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