

2025:PHHC:125837



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

**CRM-M-51378-2023
Date of decision :12.09.2025**

GURTEJ SINGH

... Petitioner

Versus

STATE OF PUNJAB AND OTHERS

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JASJIT SINGH BEDI

Present: Ms. Kanwal S. Walia, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Harkanwarjeet Singh, Asst. A.G., Punjab.

JASJIT SINGH BEDI, J. (ORAL)

The prayer in the present petition under Section 482 Cr.P.C. is for issuance of directions to respondent Nos.2 and 3 i.e. Director General of Police Punjab and Addl. Director General of Police-cum-Director, Bureau of Investigation for not conducting a parallel investigation contrary to the provisions of the Cr.P.C. in FIR No.53 dated 15.06.2022 registered under Sections 324, 323, 506, 148, 149 IPC (Section 326 IPC added later on) at Police Station Ghall Khurd, District Ferozepur.

When this matter was taken up for hearing on 30.10.2023, an averment was made by the learned counsel for the petitioner that the inquiry was being conducted for the 4th time. On 19.01.2024, an affidavit of the DSP (Rural) Ferozepur was filed on behalf of respondent Nos.1 to 5. Subsequent thereto, it transpired that the inquiry was being conducted by the AIG State Crime Branch and a report under Section 173(2) Cr.P.C.

stands submitted even in the cross-case in which the petitioner happens to be an accused and one Jagjeet Singh happens to be an injured/complainant.

Heard.

The present petition is disposed of with the directions to the Trial Court to conclude the trial in each case as expeditiously as possible so that the truthfulness of the allegations and the counter allegations are established.

Disposed of.

(JASJIT SINGH BEDI)
JUDGE

12.09.2025
JITESH

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