



IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

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CRM-M-11779-2026

Date of Decision : 17.03.2026

BANWAAR SINGH

...Petitioner

VERSUS

STATE OF PUNJAB AND OTHERS

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE AARADHNA SAWHNEY

Present: Mr. Rakesh Kumar Kachura, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Kamalpreet Bawa, DAG, Punjab.

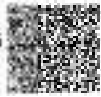
AARADHNA SAWHNEY, J. (ORAL)

1. Petitioner has filed the present petition praying therein to direct the official respondents to enquire into the tragic death of his son, who he alleges was brutally assaulted at 09.30/10.00 PM on 25.05.2025 by private respondents No.4 to 7. Consequent thereto, the boy succumbed to his injuries.

2. Learned counsel has also referred to the post-mortem report appended along the present petition as Annexure P-1, wherein the Board of Doctors after conducting the post-mortem examination opined as follows:-

“In my opinion cause of death is due to blunt chest trauma and injury to vital brain which is antemortem in nature and sufficient to cause death in ordinary course of nature”

Grievance of the petitioner is that despite the fact that DDR No.13 dated 26.02.2025 was registered at Police Station Sadar Fazilka, District Fazilka, but till date no further action has been initiated. Learned counsel further contends



that petitioner had given representation dated 20.01.2026 (Annexure P-3) but till date no action thereon has been taken. He submits that for the purpose of this petition, the petitioner will be satisfied if directions are given to respondent No.2 to consider and dispose of the representation dated 20.01.2026 (Annexure P-3) in accordance with law in an expeditious manner.

- 3. Notice of motion to official respondents only.
- 4. On the asking of the Court, Mr. Kamalpreet Bawa, DAG, Punjab, accepts notice on behalf of respondents No.1 to 3-State.
- 5. After considering the respective submissions made by learned counsel for the petitioner and the averments made in the petition, without commenting on the merits thereof, the present petition is disposed of with direction to respondent No.2 – Senior Superintendent of Police, Fazilka to consider and dispose of the representation dated 20.01.2026 (Annexure P-3), within a period of two weeks, in accordance with law in an expeditious manner. The decision so taken be intimated to the petitioners as well.

(AARADHNA SAWHNEY)
JUDGE

17.03.2026
Nisha Yadav

Whether Speaking/reasoned	Yes/No
Whether Reportable	Yes/No