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

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CRM-M-16734-2026

Date of decision : 27.03.2026

PANKAJ TRIVEDI

..... PETITIONER

VERSUS

STATE OF PUNJAB AND ORS

..... RESPONDENTS

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SURYA PARTAP SINGH

Present : Mr. Gurnoor S. Sandhu, Advocate &
Mr. Simurita Singh, Advocate
for the petitioner.

SURYA PARTAP SINGH. J.(Oral)

1. The instant petition has been filed by the petitioner for directions to transfer investigation of FIR No.0233 dated 23.12.2025 under Sections 420, 465, 467, 468, 471, 477-A and 120 of IPC, Police Station Navi Baradari, Police Commissionerate Jalandhar registered against the respondents No.5 to 9

2. The learned counsel representing the petitioner submits that the petitioner has filed the representation dated 21.01.2026 (Annexure P-38) before the respondent No.2-the Director General of Police, Punjab. The learned counsel prays for disposing of the present petition by issuing directions to the respondent No.2 to decide the above-mentioned representation within a stipulated time.

3. Notice of motion.

4. Since advance notice has already been served upon the State, Ms. Gagandeep Kaur, DAG, Punjab, accepts notice on behalf of respondents No.1 to 4-State. Hence, the service of notice upon the State is hereby dispensed with.

5. Keeping in view the aforesaid facts, the present petition is hereby disposed of with a direction to the respondent No.2-the Director General of Police, Punjab or, on assignment by him, by any other police officer not below the rank of Senior Superintendent of Police to decide the representation of the petitioner (Annexure P-38), by passing a speaking order within a period of one month from the date of receipt of copy of instant order. It is however clarified that no finding is being returned, by this Court, with regard to merits of the contents of representation. The respondent No.2 shall be at liberty to make an independent assessment with regard to contents of representation of the petitioner, and take an independent decision at his own level.

(SURYA PARTAP SINGH)
JUDGE

27.03.2026

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Whether speaking/reasoned	:	Yes
Whether Reportable	:	No