

2026:PHHC:054493-DB



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

CWP-PIL-115-2025 (O&M)
Date of decision : 08.04.2026

Jairoop Riar

.....Petitioner

Versus

Union Territory of Chandigarh and others

.....Respondents

**CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SHEEL NAGU, CHIEF JUSTICE
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SANJIV BERRY**

Present: Mr. Saurav Bhatia, Advocate, (arguing counsel)
and Mr. Manik Moudgil, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

Mr. Parminder Singh Kanwar, Addl. Standing Counsel,
(arguing counsel)
with Mr. Rakesh Sobti, Advocate,
for respondent Nos.1, 2 and 4-U.T., Chandigarh.

Mr. Rohit Verma, ADvocate,
for respondent No.3.

SHEEL NAGU, CHIEF JUSTICE (Oral)

CM-166-CWPIL-2026

Written statement filed on behalf of respondent Nos. 1
and 3, is taken on record.

Misc. application (CM-166-CWPIL-2026) stands
allowed accordingly.

CWP-PIL-115-2025 (O&M)

1. This Public Interest Litigation (PIL) has been filed
raising the alleged public cause seeking a direction that a

committee should be constituted to supervise and monitor the issues relating to the Slaughter House and meat shops in Chandigarh.

2. Reply filed by respondent Nos.1 and 3 indicates that vide notification dated 13.02.2026 (Annexure R-3/1), a committee, headed by the Home Secretary-cum-Secretary Local Government, Chandigarh Administration, comprising of 13 members, has been constituted.

3. In view of the above, it appears that the substantive relief, prayed for in this petition, has since been granted.

4. We hope and expect that the committee shall perform its functions in terms of the directions passed by the Apex Court in **Laxmi Narayan Modi vs. Union of India**, Civil Writ Petition No.309 of 2003 (decided on 23.08.2012).

5. In case, the said committee fails to perform its functions, the petitioner is always free to revisit the Court.

6. With the aforesaid liberty, the present petition stands disposed of.

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

(SHEEL NAGU)
CHIEF JUSTICE

(SANJIV BERRY)
JUDGE

April 08, 2026
Ajay Prasher

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