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

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Date of decision : 21.01.2026

Adishwar Jain

.....Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others

.....Respondents

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

Present: Mr. Balwant Singh, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

Mr. Salil Sabhlok, Senior DAG, Punjab.

SHEEL NAGU, CHIEF JUSTICE (Oral)

1. Petitioner in this petition assails the closure of his complaint No. 8636/10/2016 by the Punjab State & Chandigarh (U.T.) Human Rights Commission, Chandigarh, vide order dated 05.05.2025 (Annexure P-11).

2. Petitioner had filed the aforesaid complaint against Mr. Beant Juneja, SHO, Police Station Division No.5, Ludhiana, alleging that he along with some other police personnel, by misusing his official position, coerced the petitioner/complainant to pay Rs. 2 lacs to one Vikas Thakur and, in turn, threatened to implicate him and his family members in some false case.

3. The only ground raised by learned counsel for the petitioner in his oral submissions is that before passing the impugned order, the petitioner/complainant was not afforded any personal hearing.



4. The aforesaid submission of learned counsel for the petitioner does not appear to be true, which is evident from a bare reading of order dated 15.07.2025 (Annexure P-13) passed by the Commission in the same complaint, whereby an application filed by petitioner/complainant for review of order dated 05.05.2025 was dismissed.

4.1 The aforesaid order dated 15.07.2025 reveals that the petitioner/complainant was heard at length on 21.03.2025, whereafter the impugned order dated 05.05.2025 was passed. The petitioner/complainant was represented before the Commission on 21.03.2025 and 05.05.2025.

5. In view of above, it appears that the present petition has been filed without actually going through any of the relevant facts.

5.1 The present petition has consumed enough time of this Court, which could have been utilised in more pressing matters and is, therefore, dismissed with costs of Rs. 10,000/-, to be deposited with Poor Patient Welfare Fund, PGIMER, Chandigarh, within a period of fifteen (15) days.

(SHEEL NAGU)
CHIEF JUSTICE

(SANJIV BERRY)
JUDGE

January 21, 2026
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Whether speaking/reasoned	Yes/No
Whether reportable	Yes/No