



**In the High Court of Punjab and Haryana, at Chandigarh**

**Criminal Misc. No. M-40643 of 2025**

**Date of Decision: 19.08.2025**

Iqbal Singh Tanda

... Petitioner(s)

Versus

State of Punjab and Others

... Respondent(s)

**CORAM: Hon'ble Mr. Justice Surya Partap Singh.**

Present: Mr. Dhawaljeet Dutta, Advocate  
for the petitioner(s).

**Surya Partap Singh, J.**

1. The instant petition has been filed by the petitioner for a direction to the respondents No.2 and 3 for conducting fair and impartial investigation in a case arising out of FIR No. 51 dated 29.06.2025, under Sections 118(1), 115(2) and 3(5) of the Bharatiya Nyaya Sanhita, 2023. The redressal of grievance of the petitioner can be recorded by the Court of learned Judicial Magistrate. Otherwise also, as per the contents of the petition, the opposite party has committed an offence and cognizance of the same can be taken by the learned Area Judicial Magistrate.

2. In such circumstances, the instant petition is hereby dismissed with liberty to the petitioner to file a complaint before the Court of learned Judicial Magistrate.

**(Surya Partap Singh)  
Judge**

**August 19, 2025**

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Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No

Whether reportable : Yes/No