PUBLIC GRIEVANCES COMMISSION

GOVT. OF NATIONAL CAPITAL TERRITORY OF DELHI

Order under Para 2(B) of the PGC Resolution No F.4/14/94-AR dated 30.7.1998

Date of hearing: 19th June, 2018

Complainant : Ms. Kanchan Rana

Respondent : Special Commissioner of Police

Delhi Police (Vigilance), PS Barakhamba Road, New Delhi

Grievance No. : PGC/2016/DP/05

Grievance filed on : 05/1/2016 First hearing in the PGC : 16/2/2016

Scheduled on

1. Brief facts of the complaint

The complainant has alleged serious abuse of authority by South East District at the behest of a notorious a lady Smt. Neera Mahajan. She has further stated that she is a victim of demand of dowry and she was deserted by her NRI husband after marriage. She has further alleged that she lodged many complaints with police but no action was taken. The complainant has requested for fair and impartial investigation in the matter.

2. <u>Proceedings in the Public Grievances Commission</u>

The PGC convened its first hearing in the complaint on 16th February, 2016, the second hearing on 22nd March, 2016, the 3rd hearing on 17th May, 2016, the fourth hearing on 7th June, 2016, the fifth hearing on 5th July, 2016, the sixth hearing on 9th August, 2016, the 7th hearing on 20th September, 2016, the 8th hearing held on 27th December, 2016, the ninth hearing held on 28.2.2017, the 10th hearing held on 2nd May, 2017, the eleventh hering held on 4th July, 2017, the 12th hearing held on 12th September, 2017, the 13th hearing held on 10th October, 2017, the 14th hearing held on 23rd October, 2017, the 15th hearing held on 9th January, 2018, the 16th hearing held on 13th March, 2018 and the seventeenth hearing held on 24th April, 2018, the eighteenth hearing held on 22nd May, 2018 and the nineteenth hearing held on 19th June, 2018, when the following were present:-

Complainant : Present-Shri N.S. Rana, father of the complainant

Respondent : Inspector Vijender Rana, PS Lajpat Nagar

ACP S.A. Rashid, PG/SED

Inspector Arun Chauhan, STARS-I, R.K. Puram

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3 Relevant facts emerging during the hearing

An ATR has been filed by Inspr. Arun Chauhan, STARS-I/Crime Branch, stating that "below mentioned cases have been marked to me recently for further pairvi/investigation. The present status of cases as under:-

FIR No. 606/15 dated 17.7.15 u/s 507/509 IPC, PS Lajpat Nagar, Delhi. The case is pending trial before the Hon'ble Court of Ld. CMM/South East Saket Courts. Next date of hearing is 24.8.2018.

FIR No. 79/14 dated 12.2.2014 u/s 417/420/507/509 IPC PS Lajpat Nagar. The case is pending trial in the Court of CMM/South East Saket. Next date of hearing is 18.7.2018.

FIR No.649/15 dated 21.8.2015 u/s 509/506/34 IPC PS Dwarka (South), Delhi. The case is pending trial before the Court of Ld. CMM South West District. Next date of hearing is 1.9.2018.

FIR No. 833/15, dated 10.10.2015 u/s 387/507/509 IPC PS Lajpat Nagar, Delhi.

FIR No. 23/16 dated 26.2.2016 u/s 419/211/120-B IPC PS Lajpat Nagar.

During investigation of case FIR No. 23/16 dated 26.2.2016, u/s 211/419/182/201/120-B IPC PS Crime Branch, some new facts have emerged and these facts have to be verified. ASI Sube Singh (Haryana Police) have seek some more time to join the investigation. After completing the investigation of case FIR NO. 23/16 dated 26.2.2016, u/s 211/419/182/201/120-B IPC PS Crime Branch and FIR No. 833/15 dated 10.10.15 u/s 387, 507, 509 IPC P.S. Lajpat Nagar both cases will be finalized at the earliest.

Inspector Arun Chauhan, STARS-I/Crime Branch was present and requested 10 days time to conclude/finalise the FIR NO. 833/15, PS Lajpat Nagar and FIR NO. 23/16, PS Lajpat Nagar.

Inspector Arun Chauhan sent the ATR in the Commission on 28.6.2018, stating the following:-

"After completing the investigation of case FIR NO. 23/16 dated 26.2.2016, u/s 211/419/182/201/120-B IPC PS Crime Branch, Delhi, chargesheet has been prepared against ASI Sube Singh and Ms. Neera Mahajan and the same has been submitted before Hon'ble CMM Court Saket, Delhi, vide RC NO. 125/21/2018, PS Crime Branch, Delhi, dated 27.6.2018.

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FIR NO. 833/15 dated 10.10.2015 u/s 387/507/509 IPC PS Lajpat Nagar, Delhi has been cancelled vide RC NO. 309/21/2018, PS Lajpat Nagar, Delhi, dated 27.6.2018 and proceeding u/s 182 IPC, against Neera Mahajan, has been recommended. The same has been submitted before the Hon'ble CMM Court, Saket, Delhi."

4. Directions of PGC

The perusal of ATR and documents placed on record during hearing reveals that case FIR NO. 833/16 in which the complainant and her family members were falsely implicated by Neera Mahajan has been cancelled and a cancellation report has been filed vide R.C. No. 309/21/2018 P.S. Lajpat Nagar, Delhi dated 27.6.2018. Another case FIR No. 23/16 P.S. Crime Branch which was an off shoot of case FIR No. 833/16, P.S. Lajpat Nagar too has been finalized and chargesheet has been sent to court on 27.6.2018.

In view of the above, no case is pending investigation at this stage and all the cases have been put in court. The complainant may raise the issues before trial court for her grievances, if any.

With the above observations, the Commission has decided to close the case in PGC since the matter is sub-judice now.

(SUDHIR YADAV)
MEMBER (PGC)

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- 6. The Addl. Commissioner of Police (District South East), PS Sarita Vihar, New Delhi
- 7. ACP/PG Cell/SED,
- 8.SHO/PS Lajpat Nagar, Police Station Lajpat Nagar, Delhi
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