

CNR No.PBSG010051642026

CRM/632/2026

Jones Gupta Vs. State of Punjab

Present: Applicant Jones Gupta in person.
Shri R.K. Bhardwaj, Advocate for respondent.

Shri R.K. Bhardwaj, Advocate has filed power of attorney on behalf of the respondent/complainant and submitted that he does not want to file reply to the instant application.

1.1 Heard on transfer application. Applicant-accused Jones Gupta has sought transfer of challan case titled as “State of Punjab Vs. Jones Gupta”, bearing No. CHI/58/2023 and case titled as “State of Punjab Vs. Master Rachna Ram and others”, bearing No. CHI/58/2023, pending in the Court of Shri Anantdeep Singh, Judicial Magistrate Ist Class, Sunam to any other Court of competent jurisdiction at Sunam.

2. It was averred that both the aforementioned cases are arising of the same incident. Firstly, FIR no. 261 dated 13.11.2022, U/s 341/354-A,/323/506/148/149 IPC was registered at P.S. City Sunam on the statement of Ruchi Gupta (wife of applicant). Later on, one cross-version case was registered vide DDR no. 19 dated 20.02.2023 on the statement of Rachna Ram i.e. after the delay of more than 03 months. It was averred that both the parties have filed applications before the Ld. Trial Court, but the said applications have not been decided by the Court since long. Moreover, the charges have not been framed till date in the said cases. It was averred that the prolonged pendency has caused great prejudice, hardship, mental agony and unnecessary litigation expenses to the applicant and has adversely effected the applicant’s right to a fair and

speedy trial, granted under Article 21 of the Constitution of India. It was averred that applicant was having apprehension in his mind that he would not get justice from said Court and prayed for transfer of the case.

3. I have heard Ld. counsel for the parties is of the considered view that this transfer application deserves to be dismissed.

4. After going through the contents of transfer application, it transpires that the only ground of applicant in person is that both the cases were pending since 2023 and the pendency had caused great prejudice and hardship to him. He has requested that his only intention is to expedite disposal of the cases. Since there are no allegations against the Presiding Officer on the proceedings, therefore, ends of justice would be met if the cases be disposed expeditiously. Hence, the present application is dismissed with the direction to the Ld. Trial Court to take effective steps to dispose off the cases expeditiously. Copy of this order be sent to the Court concerned for information. This file be consigned to record room.

**Pronounced:
July 02, 2026**

(Rajender Singh)
Stenographer Gr-II

**(Munish Singal)
Sessions Judge, Sangrur
(Unique Identification No.PB0053)**