

This complaint is filed by the complainant under Section 12 of the Consumer Protection Act, 2019, praying this Commission to direct the Opposite Party (i) to ensure proper investigation and prosecute the accused; (ii) to compensate the victim's family for their loss; (iii) to bear the costs of the case and pass such other order or orders as this Hon'ble Commission deems fit and proper. The complainant, Mr. Sanjay Patel, reported the murder of his cousin, Mr. Ankit Patel, a local politician, on 7th February 2024. Mr. Patel was shot dead during a political rally. Initial investigations point to an assassin hired by a rival politician, but the investigation is delayed due to political interference. The family seeks justice and compensation for the loss of Mr. Patel. Point No.2: In the result, the complaint is partly allowed, and the Opposite Party (Rival Politician and Associates) is directed to (i) To assist in the investigation and prosecution. (ii) To pay ₹10,00,000 as compensation to the complainant. (iii) To bear the costs of litigation incurred by the complainant. Time for compliance is 30 days from the date of receipt of these orders, failing which the said amounts shall attract interest at the rate of 12% per annum until full realization.