

**BEFORE JUSTICE ARUN MISHRA
FORMER JUDGE, SUPREME COURT OF INDIA**

**OMBUDSMAN
THE BOARD OF CONTROL FOR CRICKET IN INDIA**

Complaint No.: /2026

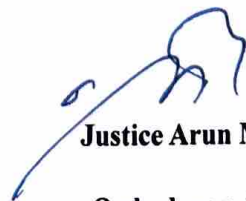
In Re: Complaint dated 30.06.2026 in the matter of:

1. JITHIN K.P., S/o Parameswaran K.P. ...Complainant

ORDER

1. The Complainant, Shri Jithin K.P working as Accountant-cum-Office Bearer with the Kerala Cricket Association (KCA) has addressed a complaint to the Ombudsman-cum-Ethics Officer, BCCI, alleging financial irregularities, casteist abuse, illegal detention, death threats and withholding of salary by office bearers of the KCA, invoking Rules 41(1)(b), 41(1)(c) and 2(c) of the BCCI Constitution. Reference has also been made to a complaint stated to have been lodged with the Commissioner of Police, Thiruvananthapuram City, on 27.06.2026 and seeks inquiry into the alleged financial mismanagement of the KCA, disciplinary action against the office bearers named, and release of salary.
2. The complaint alleges "financial irregularities" without any particulars, the term being vague and omnibus, and is thus incapable of inquiry. The grievance of illegal termination and withheld salary is essentially a matter of service nature, not within the ethical/disciplinary jurisdiction of this forum. The remaining allegations of casteist abuse, death threats and illegal detention, prima facie disclose offences of criminal liability, redressal for which lies before the appropriate criminal forum, and not before the Ombudsman, BCCI. With liberty to the Complainant to approach the appropriate forum, the complaint is thus beyond the scope and jurisdiction of this forum and is accordingly dismissed.

Dated: 08.07.2026


Justice Arun Mishra
Ombudsman, BCCI