

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH**

CRM-M No.13418 of 2015

Date of Decision: 31.08.2015

Rupinder Singh @ Rana

. . . Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab & others

. . . Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JASWANT SINGH

Present: Mr. Harsh Garg, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Ms. Rimplejeet Kaur, AAG, Punjab
for respondent No.1-State.

Mr. Varinder Chhibbar, Advocate
for respondent No.2-complainant.

JASWANT SINGH, J. (Oral)

The prayer on behalf of the petitioner is for quashing of FIR No.131 dated 16.12.2014, under Section 354-A IPC read with Section 8 of Protection of Children from Sexual Offences Act, 2012, registered with Police Station, Balachaur, District S.B.S. Nagar, on the basis of compromise dated 13.03.2015 (Annexure P-2).

As per allegations, the petitioner, who is an ex-serviceman and retired Head Constable, on 12.12.2014 at 08.00 p.m., under the influence of liquor, forcibly took 13 years old

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minor girl in a garage, and after shutting the door started feeling her private parts.

Learned State Counsel, on instructions from HC Gurcharan Singh, states that the matter is still under investigation with SP (D), Nawanshahr and therefore, the present petition, keeping in view the serious nature of charges, is liable to be dismissed.

At this stage, keeping in view the pending inquiry, learned counsel for the petitioner prays for withdrawal of the present petition.

Dismissed as withdrawn.

[JASWANT SINGH]
JUDGE

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