

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

CRM-M-13943-2015

Date of Decision: August 25, 2015

Surjit Singh & others

.....Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and another

.....Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE NARESH KUMAR SANGHI

Present: Mr.Ashe Kumar Goel, Advocate for
Mr.Anshuman Chopra, Advocate
for the petitioners.

Mr. P.S. Paul, DAG, Punjab
for respondent No1.

Mr. A.K. Garg, Advocate for
for respondent No.2 .

- 1. Whether Reporters of local papers may be allowed to see the judgment ?**
- 2. To be referred to the Reporters or not ?**
- 3. Whether the judgment should be reported in the Digest?**

NARESH KUMAR SANGHI, J.(ORAL)

Prayer in this petition filed under Section 482 Cr.P.C.,
is for quashing of FIR No.100 dated 04.10.2014, for the offences
punishable under Sections 147, 323, 354 & 498-A read with
Section 149 IPC, registered at Police Station Anandpur Sahib,
District Rupnagar and all the consequential proceedings

emanating therefrom, on the basis of compromise (Annexure P-2).

Learned counsel for the parties are *ad idem* that the present matrimonial dispute was resolved by the compromise (Annexure P-2), with the intervention of the Mediator of Mediation & Conciliation Centre of this Court.

Learned counsel for respondent No.2-informant submits that in consequence of the compromise, petitioner No.2 (Jaspal Singh) and respondent No.2-informant (Pooja Devi) are residing together. He further submits that the informant has no objection if the impugned FIR and all the consequential proceedings arising therefrom, are quashed.

Learned counsel for the State has also no objection to the above prayer.

In view of the judgments rendered in **Gian Singh Vs. State of Punjab and another, 2012(4) RCR(Criminal) 543**, and a 5-Judge Bench of this Court in the case of **Kulwinder Singh & others Vs. State of Punjab and another, 2007(3) RCR(Criminal) 1052**, the criminal proceedings can be terminated/quashed on the basis of compromise even in non-compoundable offences.

In view of the fact that husband and wife have resolved their dispute and effected a compromise and thereafter residing

together, therefore, FIR No.100 dated 04.10.2014, for the offences punishable under Sections 147, 323, 354 & 498-A read with Section 149 IPC, registered at Police Station Anandpur Sahib, District Rupnagar and all the consequential proceedings arising therefrom, are hereby quashed.

August 25, 2015
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(NARESH KUMAR SANGHI)
JUDGE