

**CRM No. M-14698 of 2015
DECIDED ON: JULY 27, 2015**

TARUN KUMAR & ORS

.....PETITIONERS

VERSUS

STATE OF PUNJAB & ANR

.....RESPONDENTS

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JASPAL SINGH

Present: Mr. Vikas Gupta, Advocate
for the petitioners.

Mr. Ankur Jain, AAG, Punjab.

Mr. Binderjit Singh, Advocate
for respondent No.2.

JASPAL SINGH, J (ORAL)

This is a petition under Section 482 of the Code of Criminal Procedure for quashing of FIR No. 19 dated June 17, 2014 under Sections 420, 406, 498-A and 34 IPC registered at Police Station, Women Cell, District Bathinda, on the basis of compromise (Annexure P-2), along with all subsequent proceedings arising therefrom.

2. Report of learned Judicial Magistrate has been received, in which, it has been categorically observed that compromise was effected between the parties without any pressure or coercion. It has also been mentioned in the report that complainant in her statement stated that she has no objection in case the present FIR is quashed. The same is genuine one. Even otherwise, matter involved in these proceedings is matrimonial in nature, which has been amicably put at rest.

3. So, in view of circumstances narrated above as well as the observations made in case reported as **Kulwinder Singh and others vs. State of Punjab and another; 2007(3) RCR (Criminal) 1052**, I am of the considered opinion that continuation of criminal proceedings between the parties would be an abuse of the process of law and the present compromise is for the benefit of the parties and would certainly bring peace and harmony between them.

4. Consequently, instant petition is allowed and FIR No. 19 dated June 17, 2014 under Sections 420, 406, 498-A and 34 IPC registered at Police Station, Women Cell, District Bathinda and all other subsequent proceedings emanating therefrom stand quashed qua petitioners.

5. However, it is made clear that in case any of the parties wriggle out of the contents of compromise, he or she shall be at liberty to get this petition revive.

JULY 27, 2015
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(JASPAL SINGH)
JUDGE