

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

**CRM-M-15782 of 2014
Decided on: 07.01.2015**

Puneet Kaur and others

..... Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and others

..... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE M.M.S. BEDI

Present: Mr. Vaibhav Narang, Advocate
for the petitioners.

Mr. Sultan Singh Gill, DAG, Punjab.

Mr. Rajinder Sharma, Advocate
for the complainant.

M.M.S. BEDI, J (ORAL)

This is a petition for quashing of FIR No.5 dated 27.02.2014 registered under Sections 420, 495, 120-B of IPC at the instance of respondent No.2, Harbinder Singh alleging that replying to a matrimonial advertisement, petitioner No.2 and petitioner No.3 contacted respondent No.2 for marriage with their daughter-petitioner No.1. Marriage was performed on 25.04.2012. Respondent no.2, later on came to know that petitioner No.1 was not a divorcee on the date of wedding but had got a divorce after 4 months i.e. on 04.08.2012. Claiming that fraud had been committed on respondent No.2, the alleged FIR was registered.

The parties were directed to appear before the Illaqa Magistrate and get their statement recorded. Report has been received to the effect that the matter has been compromised

voluntarily and that the complainant has got no objection if the FIR is quashed.

Following the judgment in ***Kulwinder Singh and others Vs. State of Punjab, 2007(3) RCR (Crl.) 1052***, the petition is allowed and the aforesaid FIR and all the criminal proceedings emanating therefrom, are hereby quashed on the basis of compromise.

07.01.2015

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**(M.M.S.BEDI)
JUDGE**