IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CRM-M-17944 of 2015.
Decided on:-July 16, 2015.

Buta Singh. .....Petitioner.

Versus

State of Punjab and others .....Respondents.

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARI PAL VERMA.

1. Whether reporters of local newspapers may be allowed to see judgment?
2. To be referred to reporters or not?
3. Whether the judgment should be reported in the Digest?

Present:- Mr. Sandeep Kumar Bokolia, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. R.S. Nain, AAG, Punjab.

Mr. S.S. Goraya, Advocate for respondents No.2 and 3.

HARI PAL VERMA, J. (ORAL)

Prayer in this petition filed under Section 482 Cr.P.C. is for quashing of FIR No.3 dated 18.1.2015 under Sections 307, 323, 324, 201 IPC registered at Police Station Bhadaur, District Barnala (Annexure P-1) and subsequent proceedings arising therefrom on the basis of compromise deed dated 9.3.2015 (Annexure P-4).

This Court vide order dated 28.5.2015 had directed the parties to appear before the Illaqa Magistrate/trial Court to get their statements recorded and the Illaqa Magistrate/trial Court was directed to submit its report about the genuineness of the compromise as per the statements so recorded.

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Pursuant to order dated 28.5.2015, the parties have appeared before Additional Chief Judicial Magistrate, Barnala and have got their statements recorded. On the basis of the statements so recorded by the parties, learned Magistrate has submitted his report dated 9.6.2015 to the effect that the compromise entered between the parties is genuine and the same has been effected between the parties voluntarily, without any threat, pressure, coercion or undue influence.

This fact has not been disputed by learned counsel for the respondents.

In view of the above, no useful purpose would be served to continue with the proceedings before the trial Court in the instant FIR.

Following the principles laid down by the Full Bench judgment of this Court in ***Kulwinder Singh and others Versus State of Punjab and another 2007 (3) RCR (Criminal) 1052*** and approved by the Hon'ble Supreme Court in ***Gian Singh Versus State of Punjab and others (2012) 10 SCC 303***, this petition is allowed and FIR No.3 dated 18.1.2015 under Sections 307, 323, 324, 201 IPC registered at Police Station Bhadaur, District Barnala (Annexure P-1) and subsequent proceedings arising therefrom is quashed, on the basis of compromise deed dated 9.3.2015 (Annexure P-4).

(HARI PAL VERMA)
JUDGE

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