

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

**Crl. Misc. No. M-19272 of 2014
Date of decision : 26.02.2015**

Satwinder Singh & othersPetitioners

versus

State of Punjab & another ...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE RITU BAHRI

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

Mr. Mikhail Kad, AAG, Punjab.

Mr. Vinay Kumar, Advocate for respondent No.2.

RITU BAHRI, J. (Oral)

Quashing of the FIR No.15 dated 21.02.2014 under Sections 498-A/506 IPC, registered at Police Station Sadar Phagwara, District Kapurthala (Annexure P-1) and its consequential proceedings on the basis of compromise dated 28.03.2014 (Annexure P-2), is being sought.

The FIR was registered on a statement made by Ramandeep Kaur-respondent No.2/complainant with the allegations that she was married to Inderjit in the year 2008 and went to Australia along with him. Thereafter, she got divorce while in Australia in December, 2010 and thereafter in 2011 she was introduced to Jasvir Singh, who was a permanent resident in Australia. The complainant and Jasvir Singh met in Melbourne (Australia) and Jasvir Singh asked

the complainant to bring 10000 Australian Dollars from her mother in India. Then the complainant asked her mother to transfer the said amount. The marriage of complainant and Jasvir Singh was performed on 13.07.2011. Thereafter, he made an attempt to arrange more dollars from the complainant and he started harassing her. In 2012 Jasvir Singh maltreated her and turned her out of the house. The details of the allegations have been further stated in the FIR (Annexure P-1).

The dispute between the complainant and the petitioners has now been resolved as per the compromise (Annexure P-2).

In compliance of the order dated 29.08.2014, status report has been received from the Judicial Magistrate 1st Class, Phagwara and the statement of the complainant-Ramandeep Kaur has been recorded on 18.12.2014 to the effect that she has compromised the matter with the accused and she has no objection if the present FIR is quashed. Joint statement of all the accused-petitioners namely Satwinder Singh, Baldev Singh, Manjit Kaur, Jasvir Singh and Palwinder Singh through attorney Surinder Singh has also been recorded to the same effect.

Consequently, in view of the status report and in view of the judgment of the Hon'ble Supreme Court in the case of **Madan Mohan Abbot vs. State of Punjab 2008(2) RCR (Criminal) 429**, the law laid down by the Full Bench of this Court in the case of **Kulwinder Singh and Ors. vs. State of Punjab and another 2007(3) RCR (Crl.) 1052**, no useful purpose would be served in prolonging

the litigation.

Accordingly, FIR No.15 dated 21.02.2014 under Sections 498-A/506 IPC, registered at Police Station Sadar Phagwara, District Kapurthala (Annexure P-1), is quashed with all consequential proceedings arising therefrom qua petitioners.

The petition stands disposed of qua petitioners.

26.02.2015
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(RITU BAHRI)
JUDGE