

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

CRM-M-23690-2013

Date of Decision: August 27, 2015.

AMAR JIT KAUR @ JEETI & ANR.

.....PETITIONERS

VERSUS

STATE OF PUNJAB & ANR.

.....RESPONDENTS

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

Present: Mr.Harpreet Singh,Advocate for
Mr.Kuldeep Singh Ahluwalia, Advocate
for the petitioners

Ms.Harpreet K.Athwal,DAG, Punjab

Mr.Abinashi Singla, Advocate
for respondent No.2

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

This petition is for quashing of FIR registered at the instance of Lachhman Singh respondent No.2 alleging that the petitioner No.1 who is mother-in-law of his daughter Veerpal Kaur and petitioner No.2 who is her husband had harassed his daughter on account of demand of dowry. This is a matrimonial dispute and the matter has been compromised and petition under Section 13 B of the Hindu Marriage Act has been filed.

The next date of hearing before the trial Court is 06.10.2015. It has been informed that Lachhman Singh complainant is bed ridden. Direction has been issued by this Court on 20.01.2015 directing the parties to get their statements recorded before the trial Court. Statements have been recorded and report has been received to the effect that the compromise has been arrived at between the parties voluntarily.

Following the Full Bench judgment of this Court in **Kulwinder Singh vs. State of Punjab and others 2007(3) RCR(Crl.)1052 and B.S.Joshi and others vs. State of Haryana and another 2003(2) RCR (Crl.)888** I am of the opinion that the matrimonial dispute having been amicably resolved in the present case, there is no hurdle in compounding of offences when the parties have amicably opted to part ways.

In view of the above discussion, the instant petition is allowed and the impugned FIR along with all consequential proceedings arising therefrom is quashed.

August 27, 2015.
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(M.M.S.BEDI)
JUDGE