

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CRM-M-21292 of 2015.

Decided on:-July 31, 2015.

Prem Nath Bansal.

.....Petitioner.

Versus

State of Haryana and another

.....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. Sharad Aggarwal, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Sulinder Singh, AAG, Haryana.

HARI PAL VERMA, J. (ORAL)

Prayer in this petition filed under Section 482 Cr.P.C. is for quashing of FIR No.527 dated 13.10.2012 under Sections 420, 467, 468, 471 and 120-B IPC, registered at Police Station Sector-7, Faridabad (Annexure P-1) and subsequent proceedings arising therefrom on the basis of compromise deed dated 21.4.2015 (Annexure P-2).

This Court vide order dated 6.7.2015 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.

Pursuant to order dated 6.7.2015, the parties have appeared before the Judicial Magistrate 1st Class, Faridabad and have got their

statements recorded. On the basis of the statements so recorded by the parties, learned Magistrate has submitted his report dated 24.7.2015 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 respondent.

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.527 dated 13.10.2012 under Sections 420, 467, 468, 471 and 120-B IPC, registered at Police Station Sector-7, Faridabad (Annexure P-1) and subsequent proceedings arising therefrom is quashed, on the basis of compromise deed dated 21.4.2015 (Annexure P-2), subject to payment of costs of Rs.5,000/- to be deposited with the Haryana State Legal Services Authority, Chandigarh.

(HARI PAL VERMA)
JUDGE

July 31, 2015
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