

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

**Crl. Misc. No. M-21808 of 2015
Date of decision : 20.11.2015**

Lakhwinder Singh & Ors.

..... Petitioners

versus

State of Punjab and Anr.

... Respondents

with

Crl. Misc. No. M-21818 of 2015

Gurmeet Singh & Ors.

..... Petitioners

versus

State of Punjab and Ors.

... Respondents

CORAM:- HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE ANITA CHAUDHRY

Present: Mr. P.K.S. Phoolka, Advocate
for petitioners in CRM No. M-21808 of 2015 and
for respondent nos.2 to 4 in CRM No.M-21818 of 2015.

Mr. Davinder Kumar, Advocate
for petitioners in CRM No. M-21818 of 2015 and
for respondent no.2 in CRM No.M-21808 of 2015.

Mr. K.S. Aulakh, AAG, Punjab.

ANITA CHAUDHRY, J.

Above-referred petitions are being disposed of by this
common order being connected to each other.

By way of Crl. Misc. No. M-21808 of 2015, petitioners
Lakhwinder Singh and two others are seeking quashing of FIR No.
91 dated 05.11.2013, registered under Sections 307, 323, 341,
506, 34 IPC at Police Station Sadar Bathinda, District Bathinda.
Petitioners Gurmeet Singh and six others had filed Crl. Misc. No.
M-21818 of 2015 and are seeking quashing of cross-version

vide Rapat No. 25 dated 09.11.2013, registered under Sections 323, 324, 148, 149 IPC (Section 326 IPC added later on), recorded in the aforesaid FIR and consequent proceedings taken therein, on the basis of compromise.

Report has been received from the trial Court after recording statements of the parties on compromise. Trial Court has also sent copies of statements of parties recorded by it, which reveal that compromise is voluntary and without any pressure or coercion.

Learned State counsel submits that the parties in both the petitions are the persons involved in the FIR and cross-version Rapat.

No useful purpose would be served to keep the FIR pending.

In view of the statements made by the parties and the principles laid down by the Full Bench judgment of this Court in **Kulwinder Singh & Ors. Vs. State of Punjab & Anr. 2007(3) RCR(CrI.) 1052,** approved by Hon'ble the Apex Court in **Gian Singh Vs. State of Punjab & Ors. 2012(10) SCC 303,** the instant petitions are allowed and the aforesaid FIR and the cross-version Rapat recorded therein and consequent proceedings conducted therein are quashed.

Needless to say that parties shall remain bound by the terms of compromise.

20.11.2015
Sunil

(ANITA CHAUDHRY)
JUDGE