

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

CRM-M-21978 of 2015

Date of Decision: December 17, 2015

Satpal Singh and another

...Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and others

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE FATEH DEEP SINGH

Present: Mr. Loveneet Thakur, Advocate
for the petitioners.

Mr. G.S. Sidhu, AAG, Punjab.

Mr. Chandeeep Singh, Advocate
for respondents No.2 and 3.

FATEH DEEP SINGH, J.

The petitioners were found guilty and convicted under Sections 452,323 read with Section 34 IPC by the Court of learned Sub-Divisional Judicial Magistrate, Samrala vide judgment dated 24.3.2015.

The petitioners have preferred the present petition before this Court seeking quashment of the FIR and all consequent proceedings including judgment of conviction on the basis of a compromise arrived at between the parties, whereupon report of the Court below was called for.

Report dated 03.10.2015 sent by learned Sub-Divisional Judicial Magistrate, Samrala has been received, whereby, after recording statements of petitioners Satpal Singh, Gurmeet Kaur as well as of complainant Narinder Singh, Gurdev Singh and Hari Singh it has been informed that the parties have effected a compromise

voluntarily on their free will and accord without any pressure.

In the light of the satisfaction shown by the Court, the fact that the offence for which the accused has been hauled up is not of serious nature, together with the fact that compromise will go a long way in ironing out differences for betterment of future life of the parties and in view of the law laid down by a Division Bench of this Court in '**Sube Singh and another v. State of Haryana and another**' **2013(4) RCR (Criminal) 102** and by the Hon'ble Apex Court in **2012 (10) SCC 303** titled as '**Gian Singh v. State of Punjab and another**' and **2014(6) SCC 466** titled as '**Narinder Singh and others v. State of Punjab and another**', FIR No.128 dated 10.05.2010 under Sections 452,323,34 IPC registered at Police Station, Samrala along with judgment of conviction dated 24.03.2015 passed by learned Sub-Divisional Judicial Magistrate, Samrala and all consequences arising thereof are hereby quashed.

The petition stands disposed off in those terms.

(FATEH DEEP SINGH)
JUDGE

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