

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH

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**Crl. Misc. No. M-29117 of 2014**

**Date of Decision: 25.03.2015**

**Subhash Sethi and others**

**....Petitioners**

**v.**

**State of Punjab and another**

**....Respondents**

**CORAM: HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE NAVITA SINGH**

Present: Mr. Sandeep Arora, Advocate for the petitioners.

Mr. K.S. Pannu, DAG, Punjab.

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

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**Navita Singh, J.**

This is a petition under Section 482 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973, for quashing of FIR No.6 dated 10.1.2014, under Sections 498-A/406/120-B IPC registered at Police Station Gurdaspur, on the basis of compromise, along with all subsequent proceedings arising therefrom.

Ms. Rajni Manchanda is present in Court, who has stated that she has entered into compromise with the petitioners. Her marriage with petitioner No.3 has already been dissolved by way of petition under Section 13B of the Hindu Marriage Act. The amount under the compromise has been received by her and she does not wish to pursue the criminal case any further. Statements of the parties have already been recorded by the Chief Judicial Magistrate, Gurdaspur, who also stated that it appeared to him that the parties had genuinely entered into a compromise.

Counsel for the parties have stated at the bar that the matter has been compromised. The matter involved is personal in nature.

So, in view of the above circumstances and in view of authority reported as **Kulwinder Singh and others vs. State of Punjab and others, 2007(3) RCR (Criminal) 1052**, the abovesaid FIR and the proceedings connected therewith are hereby quashed.

Disposed of.

It is noticed that almost in all the cases where statements are recorded by the Judicial Magistrate Ist Class or Chief Judicial Magistrate, only the designation of the Officer is written with his/her name and name of the City/place of posting is not mentioned. Only in the report sent to this Court, the name of the City is given. All the judicial officers are directed to get the name of their place of posting also typed below their designation in all orders passed and statements recorded by them.

A copy of this order be circulated to all the judicial officers in the States of Haryana and Punjab.

**( NAVITA SINGH )  
JUDGE**

**March 25, 2015**  
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