

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

**Crl. Misc. No. M-34625 of 2014 (O&M)
Date of decision : 24.02.2015**

Gurlal SinghPetitioner
versus
State of Punjab & another ...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE RITU BAHRI

Present: Mr. Ghulam Nabi Malik, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Gurveer Sidhu, AAG, Punjab.

RITU BAHRI, J. (Oral)

Quashing of the FIR No.44 dated 13.02.2014 under Sections 353, 186, 332, 506 IPC, registered at Police Station Morinda, District Rupnagar and its consequential proceedings on the basis of compromise (Annexure P-2), is being sought.

The FIR was registered on a statement made by Gurdev Singh-respondent No.2/complainant alleging that he is serving as a conductor in CTU Bus No.CH-01G-7553 on Chandigarh to Ludhiana route. On 13.02.2014, when he left Ludhiana at 8.40 AM to Chandigarh and the bus was being driven by Charan Singh 646 son of Sajjan Singh and there were 46 passengers in the bus and when they reached at Bus Stop, Morinda at about 10.30 AM, a boy entered into bus and started abusing him by saying that he did not pay the entry fee, however, he shown him the receipt, upon which, the boy called two more persons who were armed with sticks and started giving

beatings to him and tore his jacket. He was saved by passengers and driver of the bus. In this background the FIR was lodged.

The matter has now been compromised by the parties, vide Annexure P-2.

In compliance of the order dated 07.10.2014/20.11.2014, status report has been received from the Judicial Magistrate 1st Class, Roopnagar and the statements of the parties have been recorded to the effect that they have compromised the matter and the complainant has no objection if the FIR is quashed.

Consequently, in view of the status report and in view of the judgment of the Hon'ble Supreme Court in the case of **Madan Mohan Abbot vs. State of Punjab 2008(2) RCR (Criminal) 429**, the law laid down by the Full Bench of this Court in the case of **Kulwinder Singh and Ors. vs. State of Punjab and another 2007(3) RCR (Crl.) 1052**, no useful purpose would be served in prolonging the litigation.

Accordingly, FIR No.44 dated 13.02.2014 under Sections 353, 186, 332, 506 IPC, registered at Police Station Morinda, District Rupnagar, is quashed with all consequential proceedings arising therefrom qua petitioner.

The petition stands disposed of qua petitioner.

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JUDGE