

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

**Criminal Misc. No. M-37701 of 2015
Date of Decision: 19.12.2015**

Kulwinder Singh @ Munna & others

...Petitioner(s)

Versus

State of Punjab & another

...Respondent(s)

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. Vishal Munjal, Advocate for
Mr. Vipin Mahajan, Advocate
for the petitioners.

Mr. P.S. Madahar, AAG, Punjab.

HARI PAL VERMA J.(Oral)

Prayer in this petition filed under Section 482 Cr.P.C.
is for quashing of FIR No.22 dated 28.8.2015 under Sections 326,
325, 323, 324, 437, 34 of the Indian Penal Code, 1860 registered at
Police Station Dorangla, District Gurdaspur, (Annexure P-1) on
the basis of compromise dated 14.10.2015 (Annexure P-2).

This Court vide order dated 4.11.2015 had directed
the parties to appear before the Illaqa Magistrate to get their

statements recorded with regard to compromise and the Illaqa Magistrate was directed to submit its report regarding the genuineness of the compromise.

Pursuant to the aforesaid order dated 4.11.2015, the parties have appeared before Judicial Magistrate Ist Class, Gurdaspur and have got their statements recorded. On the basis of the statements so recorded, learned Magistrate has forwarded his report dated 20.11.2015 to the effect that the compromise is genuine and the parties have entered into the same without any pressure.

Learned State counsel also submits that challan has not yet been filed in the instant case.

There is nothing on record to doubt the genuineness of the compromise, as arrived between the parties. Thus, no useful purpose would be served to continue with the proceedings in the instant FIR.

Accordingly, following the principles laid down by the Full Bench judgment of this Court in **Kulwinder Singh and others v. State of Punjab and another, 2007 (3) RCR (Criminal) 1052 (P&H)**, as approved by the Hon'ble Supreme Court in **Gian Singh vs. State of Punjab and others, (2012)10 SCC 303**, this petition is allowed and FIR No.22 dated 28.8.2015 under Sections 326, 325, 323, 324, 437, 34 of the Indian Penal Code, 1860 registered at Police Station Dorangla, District Gurdaspur, (Annexure P-1) is

quashed, *qua* the petitioners, in view of compromise dated
14.10.2015 (Annexure P-2).

December 19, 2015
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(HARI PAL VERMA)
JUDGE