

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

**CRM No. M-42196 of 2014
Date of decision:- March 19, 2015**

Parshottam Lal and others

...Petitioners...

versus

State of Punjab and another

...Respondents..

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JASPAL SINGH

Present : Mr. Amandeep Singh Manaise, Advocate,
for the petitioners.

Mr. R.S. Sidhu, AAG, Punjab,
for respondent No.1-State.

JASPAL SINGH, J.

The instant petition has been filed under Section 482 of the Code of Criminal Procedure for quashing of FIR No. 276, dated 20.10.2014, under Sections 307, 323, 324, 148 and 149 IPC, registered at Police Station Kapurthala City, District Kapurthala (Annexure P-1) and subsequent proceedings arising out of the same, on the basis of compromise (Annexure P-2).

Report of learned Judicial Magistrate has been received through fax though last page of the report is not there but all relevant statements are attached herewith, in which, it has been categorically observed that compromise between the complainant and accused is genuine and without any pressure or coercion. Even

otherwise, the matter involved is personal in nature, which has been amicably put at rest.

So, in view of above circumstances and in view of pronouncement reported as Gian Singh v. State of Punjab and another; 2012(4) RCR(Criminal) 543, I am of the considered opinion that continuation of criminal proceedings between the parties would be an abuse of the process of law and the present compromise is for their benefit and will bring peace and harmony between them.

Consequently, the instant petition stands allowed and FIR No. 276, dated 20.10.2014, under Sections 307, 323, 324, 148 and 149 IPC, registered at Police Station Kapurthala City, District Kapurthala and all other subsequent proceedings arising therefrom are quashed qua the petitioners.

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JUDGE