

CRM NO. M-43018 of 2014
DECIDED ON : March 09, 2015

Vijay Singla

...Petitioner

versus

State of Punjab and another

...Respondents

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JASPAL SINGH

Present : Mr. Binderjit Singh, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

Mr. J.S. Sekhon, AAG, Punjab.

None for respondent No.2.

JASPAL SINGH, J. (ORAL)

This is a petition under Section 482 of the Code of Criminal Procedure for quashing of FIR No.05 dated 11.01.2014 under Sections 420 and 406 of the Indian Penal Code, registered at Police Station Gidder Baha, District Sri Muktsar Sahib, on the basis of compromise (Annexure P-2), along with all subsequent proceedings arising from that FIR.

Report of learned trial Court has been received, in which, it has been categorically observed that compromise is outcome of free-will and volition of aggrieved parties and without any coercion or pressure. Even otherwise, the matter involved is personal in nature, which has been amicably put at rest.

It is pretty settled that compromise is the soul of justice, which not only enhances the social amity, harmony and peace but also reduces friction and discord.

In view of the above 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.05 dated 11.01.2014 under Sections 420 and 406 of the Indian Penal Code, registered at Police Station Gidder Baha, District Sri Muktsar Sahib and all other consequential proceedings arising therefrom are quashed qua the petitioner.

March 09, 2015

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**(JASPAL SINGH)
JUDGE**