

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH

CRM No. M-43476 of 2014
Date of decision:- March 16, 2015

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...Petitioner...

versus

State of Punjab and another

...Respondents...

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JASPAL SINGH

Present : None for the petitioner.

ASI Satwinder Singh.

JASPAL SINGH, J.

The instant petition has been filed under Section 482 of the Code of Criminal Procedure for quashing of FIR No. 166, dated 28.11.2014, under Sections 306 and 511 of the Indian Penal Code, registered at Police Station Sadar Hoshiarpur (Annexure P-1) and subsequent proceedings arising out of the same, on the basis of compromise dated 02.12.2014 and affidavit dated 10.12.2014.

Report of learned Judicial Magistrate has been received, in which, it has been categorically observed that matter has been compromised between complainant as well as accused with their free will, without any pressure, coercion and the same is genuine one. Even otherwise, the matter involved is personal in nature, which has been amicably put at rest. Compromise is the soul of justice, which

not only enhances the social amity, harmony and peace but also reduces friction and discord.

So, in view of above circumstances, 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. 166, dated 28.11.2014, under Sections 306 and 511 of the Indian Penal Code, registered at Police Station Sadar Hoshiarpur (Annexure P-1) and all other subsequent proceedings arising therefrom are quashed qua the petitioner.

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JUDGE