

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

CRM-M-787 of 2015

Date of decision: 31.03.2015

Anil Kumar Gupta @ Ricky

-----Petitioner (s)

V/s

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. Vaibhav Parashar, Advocate for
Mr. Sandeep Arora, Advocate
for the petitioner(s).

Mr. Manish Bansal, DAG, Punjab.

HARI PAL VERMA, J.

Prayer in this petition filed under Section 482 Cr.P.C. is for quashing of FIR No.193 dated 26.11.2014 under Sections 498-A IPC registered at Police Station City, District Gurdaspur (Annexure P1) on the basis of compromise (Annexure P2).

On 9.1.2015, following order was passed by this Court:-

“Notice of motion for 24.03.2015.

In the meantime, parties are directed to appear before the Area Magistrate and the Area Magistrate, after recording statements of the complainant/victims, shall send its report qua the genuineness of the compromise along with copies of the statements.”

Pursuant to aforesaid order dated 9.1.2015, parties have appeared before the Chief Judicial Magistrate, Gurdaspur and have got their statements recorded. Learned Chief Judicial Magistrate, Gurdaspur has submitted his report dated 23.3.2015, wherein it has been reported that the matter has been compromised between the parties and the parties have no objection if the present FIR is quashed by this Court on the basis of compromise.

In view of the above, no useful purpose would be served to continue with the proceedings before the trial Court in the instant FIR.

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) and 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.193 dated 26.11.2014 under Sections 498-A IPC registered at Police Station City, District Gurdaspur (Annexure P1) and all the consequential proceedings arising

therefrom are quashed on the basis of compromise (Annexure P-2).

March 31, 2015
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(HARI PAL VERMA)
JUDGE