

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH

CRM NO. M-14366 of 2016
DECIDED ON : MAY 26, 2016

KULDEEP SINGH & ORS

....PETITIONERS

VERSUS

STATE OF PUNJAB AND ORS

....RESPONDENTS

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JASPAL SINGH

1. Whether Reporters of local papers may be allowed to see the judgment?
2. To be referred to the Reporters or not?
3. Whether the judgment should be reported in the Digest?

Present : Mr. Vivek Salathia, Advocate,
for the petitioners.

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

Mr. Vikas Gupta, Advocate
for respondents No.2 and 3.

JASPAL SINGH, J. (ORAL)

This is a petition under Section 482 of the Code of Criminal Procedure seeking quashing of FIR No. 42 dated 27.03.2016 under Section 307 read with 34 IPC as well under Section 25/27/54/59 of Arms Act, registered at Police Station 'B' Division, Amritsar (Annexure P-1) and all subsequent proceedings arising therefrom, on the basis of compromise (Annexure P-2)

2 Report of learned trial Court has been received, wherein, it has been categorically observed that the parties have compromised the matter without any

pressure, duress, inducement and threat of any kind from any corner voluntarily with their free will.

3. So, in view of circumstances narrated above as well as the observations made in cases reported as ***Kulwinder Singh and others vs. State of Punjab and another***; 2007(3) RCR (Criminal) 1052 and ***Narinder Singh and Others Vs. State of Punjab and Another (2014) 6 SCC 466***, 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 the benefit of the parties and would certainly bring peace and harmony between them.

4. Consequently, instant petition stands allowed and FIR No. 42 dated 27.03.2016 under Section 307 read with 34 IPC as well under Section 25/27/54/59 of Arms Act, registered at Police Station 'B' Division, Amritsar (Annexure P-1) and all subsequent proceedings arising out of the same are quashed qua petitioners.

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(JASPAL SINGH)
JUDGE