

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

CRM-M No.16577 of 2013 (O&M)
Date of decision: 16th December, 2016

Jagtar Singh

... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and another

... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE FATEH DEEP SINGH

Present: Petitioner Jagtar Singh in person, along with
Mr. Navjeet Singh, Advocate.

Mr. J.S. Brar, Asstt. Advocate General, Punjab
for respondent No.1/State.

Respondent No.2-Anil Puri in person, along with
Mr. A.S. Bhatti, Advocate

FATEH DEEP SINGH, J. (ORAL)

Learned counsel for the petitioner Mr. Navjeet Singh, Advocate has paid today a sum of Rs.60,000/- in cash, Rs.90,000/- by way of demand draft No.000297 dated 15.12.2016 and an amount of Rs.50,000/- by way of Cheque No.000027 dated 20.01.2017, both drawn on HDFC Bank in favour of Anil Puri/respondent No.2 (a photostat copy of which is placed on the record), with the assurance that the cheque will be duly honoured on due presentation as per the date mentioned thereon, which has been accepted by Mr. A.S. Bhatti, learned counsel for the complainant/respondent No.2 as balance payment out of the agreed amount of Rs.9.00 lacs and now the remaining amount of

Rs.6.00 as per the agreed terms and conditions shall be paid by way of installment of Rs.35,000/- per month with effect from February, 2017.

Keeping in view that the complainant has vouched for this arrangement and which is well reflected from the settlement agreement dated 25.01.2016 made before the Mediator of this Court, and keeping in view the offence being purely under Section 420 IPC and thus a compoundable one under Section 320 Cr.P.C. and in the light of the same, FIR No.118 dated 03.07.2011 (Annexure P1) under Section 420 IPC registered at Police Station Sarabha Nagar, Ludhiana along with all consequences arising therefrom, is hereby quashed. However, it is made clear that in case petitioner backs out of this agreement, the complainant reserves his right to move the appropriate Court for initiation of proceedings on account of this disobedience by the petitioner.

The petition stands disposed off accordingly.

(FATEH DEEP SINGH)
JUDGE

December 16, 2016

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Whether speaking/reasoned	Yes/No
Whether reportable	Yes/No