

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

CRM-M-15730-2016

Date of decision: May 09, 2016

Kulvir Singh & others

...Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab & another

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJAN GUPTA

Present: Mr. H.S. Bath, Advocate for the petitioners.

Rajan Gupta, J.

This is a petition under section 482 Cr.P.C. seeking quashing of FIR No.196 dated 08.10.2015, registered against the petitioners under sections 379-B and 411 IPC at Police Station Sadar, Khanna, Police District Khanna, District Ludhiana, on the basis of compromise.

FIR was lodged by Jasandeep Singh, a student of 10+2. On 7.10.2015 at about 7.30 P.M., he alongwith his uncle Avtar Singh was returning back from Gurdawara Manji Sahab to his house via service road. When they reached in front of bridge of Mandiala Khalan, he received a message on his mobile. While he was seeing the message, three young boys, who were standing nearby alongwith a motorcycle, started motorcycle and one of them snatched away his mobile. He stated that his mobile phone was snatched by Kulvir Singh, Amandeep Singh and Gursewak Singh (petitioners herein). Pursuant to the FIR, police registered a case against the accused. Petitioners claim that after

registration of FIR, a compromise has been effected between them and the complainant. A copy thereof has been annexed alongwith the petition as Annexure P-2. It has been stated therein that both parties had entered into a compromise with intervention of common friends and respectables and there being no ill-feeling or grudge between the parties, FIR may be quashed.

I have heard learned counsel for the petitioners and considered the matter.

In my considered view, FIR in question cannot be quashed on the basis of compromise. Nature of allegations show that petitioners forcibly snatched mobile phone of the complainant, a student, when he was returning home alongwith his uncle. FIR has been registered under sections 379-B and 411 IPC. Compromise would be of no avail in view of nature of allegations. There is no ground for quashing of FIR. The petition is hereby dismissed.

(RAJAN GUPTA)
JUDGE

May 09, 2016
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