

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

**CRM NO. M-19600 of 2016
DECIDED ON : AUGUST 12, 2016**

HARBHAJAN SINGH

....PETITIONER

VERSUS

STATE OF PUNJAB AND OTHERS

....RESPONDENTS

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JASPAL SINGH

Present : Mr. Ritesh Pandey, Advocate,
for the petitioners.

Mr. RPS Sidhu, AAG, Punjab.

Mr. Parveen Kumar Garg, Advocate
for respondent No.2 to 5.

JASPAL SINGH, J. (ORAL)

This is a petition under Section 482 of the Code of Criminal Procedure seeking quashing of FIR No. 130, dated 20.10.2013, under Sections 279, 337, 338 and 427 IPC, registered at Police Station Ghuman Kalan, Batala. Distt Gurdaspur (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 entered into compromise without any pressure, coercion. Even otherwise, matter involved in these proceedings is personal in nature, which has been amicably put at rest.

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. 130, dated 20.10.2013, under Sections 279, 337, 338 and 427 IPC, registered at Police Station Ghuman Kalan, Batala. Distt Gurdaspur (Annexure P-1) and all subsequent proceedings arising out of the same are quashed qua petitioner.

AUGUST 12, 2016
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(JASPAL SINGH)
JUDGE

Whether Speaking/Reasoned

Yes/No

Whether Reportable

Yes/No