

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

CRM-M No.20046 of 2016

Date of decision: December 15, 2016

Sanjay Khera

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana and another

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JASPAL SINGH

Present: Mr. H.P.S. Bhinder, Advocate for
Mr. Sandeep Walia, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Ms. Harpreet Kaur, DAG, Haryana
for respondent No.1-State.

Mr. Sachin Rai Vaid, Advocate
for respondent No.2.

JASPAL SINGH, J.(ORAL)

1. This is a petition under Section 482 of the Code of Criminal Procedure seeking quashing of FIR No.340 dated 08.10.2011, under Sections 406, 420, 467, 468, 471, 34, 204 of IPC, registered at Police Station Baldev Nagar, District Ambala, and all subsequent proceedings arising therefrom, on the basis of mutual compromise deed dated 24.05.2016 (Annexure P-2).

2. Vide order dated October 18, 2016, parties were directed to appear before the trial Court/Illaq Magistrate, for getting their statements recorded. In compliance thereof, report of the trial Court/Illaq Magistrate has been received, wherein, it has been categorically observed that the matter has been compromised between the parties voluntarily and without any pressure, threat or coercion.

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 & Anr. 2007(3) RCR (Criminal) 1052* and *Narinder Singh and Ors. vs. State of Punjab & Anr., (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.340 dated 08.10.2011, under Sections 406, 420, 467, 468, 471, 34, 204 of IPC, registered at Police Station Baldev Nagar, District Ambala, and all subsequent proceedings arising therefrom, are quashed qua the petitioner.

December 15, 2016
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(JASPAL SINGH)
JUDGE

Whether Speaking/Reasoned

Yes/No

Whether Reportable

Yes/No