

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH

Sr. No.260

CRM No.M-2031 of 2016

Date of decision : March 22, 2016

Piara Singh and others

...Petitioners...

versus

State of Punjab and another

...Respondents...

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JASPAL SINGH

Present : Mr. Gopal Singh Nahel, Advocate,
for the petitioners.

Mr. J.S. Sekhon, Assistant Advocate General,
Punjab, for respondent No.1.

Mr. Munish Raj Chaudhary, Advocate,
for respondent No.2.

JASPAL SINGH, J.

This petition has been preferred under Section 482 of the Code of Criminal Procedure for quashing of FIR No. 158, dated September 15, 2013, under Sections 323, 324 and 34 of IPC, registered at Police Station Dirbha, District Sangrur (**Annexure P-1**) along with all consequential proceedings arising out of the same on the basis of compromise (**Annexure P-2**).

2. In compliance of order dated January 20, 2016, statement of the parties have been recorded by the trial Court. Report of learned Judicial Magistrate, 1st Class, Sunam, has been received, in

which, it has been categorically observed that parties have arrived at compromise with their free consent, voluntarily, without any coercion, undue influence or fear from any quarter. Even otherwise, matter involved is personal in nature, which has been amicably put at rest.

3. In view of the above, 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 their benefit and will bring peace and harmony between them.

4. Consequently, instant petition stands allowed and FIR No. 158, dated September 15, 2013, under Sections 323, 324 and 34 of IPC, registered at Police Station Dirbha, District Sangrur and all other subsequent proceedings arising therefrom are quashed qua the petitioners.

March 22, 2016

Ankur

**(JASPAL SINGH)
JUDGE**