

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH

Sr. No.267

CRM No.M-25232 of 2015

Date of decision : March 28, 2016

Mahinder Singh

...Petitioner...

versus

State of Punjab and another

...Respondents...

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JASPAL SINGH

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

Mr. A.S. Sidhu, Assistant Advocate General,
Punjab, for respondent No.1.

Mr. Ramandeep Singh, 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. 160, dated June 07, 2005, under Sections 420, 467, 468, 471, 120-B of IPC, registered at Police Station City Batala, Police District Batala, District Gurdaspur (**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 19, 2016, statement of the parties have been recorded by the trial Court. Report of learned Judicial Magistrate, 1st Class, Batala, has been received, in

which, it has been categorically observed that parties have arrived at compromise with their free will, without any pressure or coercion 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. 160, dated June 07, 2005, under Sections 420, 467, 468, 471, 120-B of IPC, registered at Police Station City Batala, Police District Batala, District Gurdaspur and all other subsequent proceedings arising therefrom are quashed qua the petitioner.

March 28, 2016
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(JASPAL SINGH)
JUDGE