

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH

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CRM-M-26640-2016 (O&M).

Jasmel Singh

.. Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

State of Punjab and another

.. Respondent(s)

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CORAM: HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE M.M.S.BEDI

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PRESENT Mr.J.S.Jaidka, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

M.M.S. BEDI, J. (ORAL)

Petitioner seeks quashing of FIR No.94 dated 20.5.2011, under Sections 420, 120-B read with Section 34 IPC, Police Station, Sadar Jagraon, District Ludhiana, registered at the instance of respondent No.2 alleging that he had been duped by petitioner and two others by obtaining a sum of Rs.4 lacs with a promise to send the complainant to Canada by getting VISA for him.

Sukhwinder Singh and Paramjit Singh, co-accused, now impleaded as respondent Nos.3 and 4, are proclaimed offenders. Challan has been presented and charges have been framed against the petitioner.

The petitioner appears to have compromised the matter with the complainant. Quashing of FIR has been prayed for on the basis of said compromise having been entered into between the complainant and the petitioner.

Since charges have already been framed, it will always open to the complainant to appear before the Court and depose truth and facilitate the acquittal of the petitioner as this Court is not inclined to partially quash the FIR.

The petition is disposed of with a direction to the trial Court to ensure the expeditious conclusion of the trial preferably within a period of three months after the next date of hearing fixed before the trial Court. It will be open to the trial Court to consider the factum of compromise for granting any benefit in accordance with law.

(M.M.S. BEDI)
JUDGE

August 4, 2016.
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