

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

**Crl. Misc. No. M-30138 of 2016
Date of decision : 18.11.2016**

Dr. Harlincoln Singh and anr.Petitioners

versus

State of Punjab and anr. ...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE RITU BAHRI

Present: Mr. K.S. Sodhi, Advocate
for the petitioners

Mr. A.P.S. Gill, AAG, Punjab

RITU BAHRI, J. (Oral)

Quashing of FIR No. 18 dated 26.06.2013 under Sections 406/498-A/120-B IPC, registered at Police Station Women Cell, District Amritsar, is being sought on the basis of compromise by way of affidavit of petitioner and respondent No. 2, vide compromise by way of statement dated 14.07.2016 of respondent No. 2

Respondent No. 2 got married to petitioner No. 1 . Due to temperamental differences, both the parties could not live together as husband and wife. The relationship between them became strain and thereafter, the F.I.R was registered against the petitioners on account of bringing less dowry and harassment caused by the petitioners.

However, the matter has now been duly compromised, vide compromise by way of statement dated 14.07.2016 of respondent No. 2 (P-2)

In compliance of order dated 31.08.2016, report dated 16.11.2016 of Judl. Magistrate 1st class, Amritsar, has been received in this

regard. As per report, statement of parties have been recorded. Complainant stated that the matter stands compromised between the parties and she does not want to proceed further against the accused and has no objection, if the present F.I.R be quashed against the petitioners. The compromise has been entered voluntarily. To the same effect is the statements given by petitioners.

Consequently, in view of the status report dated 16.11.2016 and in view of the judgment of the Hon'ble Supreme Court in the case of ***Dr. Arvind Barsaul etc. versus State of Madhya Pradesh and another 2008(2) RCR (Criminal) 910***, no useful purpose would be served in prolonging the litigation.

Accordingly, FIR No. 18 dated 26.06.2013 under Sections 406/498-A/120-B IPC, registered at Police Station Women Cell, District Amritsar, is quashed along with all consequential proceedings arising therefrom qua petitioners.

The petition stands disposed of.

18.11.2016
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(RITU BAHRI)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned ***Yes***

Whether reportable ***No***