

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH

Criminal Misc. No. M-36614 of 2015

Date of decision : March 17, 2016

Jaswant Singh

....Petitioner

versus

State of Punjab and another

....Respondents

Coram: Hon'ble Mr. Justice Fateh Deep Singh

Present : Mr. Amandeep Chhabra, Advocate, for the petitioner
Mr. Jasjeet Dhaliwal, DAG, Punjab, for the respondent no. 1
Mr. Parminder Mann, Advocate, for respondent No. 2

Fateh Deep Singh, J. (Oral)

Report dated 4.2.2016 of learned Additional Sessions Judge, Sri Muktsar Sahib has been received after recording statements of accused Jaswant Singh as well as complainant Chunni Lal Bharti and the learned court has shown its satisfaction that the compromise is an outcome of voluntariness, free will and without any coercion or undue pressure. In the light of the satisfaction shown by the Court and in view of the fact that compromise will go a long way in resolving the personal dispute and to bring about personal harmony and more-so the offences for which the accused have been booked are not of very serious nature and in view of the law laid down in **Gian Singh vs State of Punjab and another, 2012 (4) RCR (Criminal) 543** and **Kulwinder Singh and others vs State of Punjab and another, 2007(3) RCR (Criminal) 1052** and in view of which the prayer made in the petition is allowed, proceedings by way of FIR No. 85 dated 3.6.2014 registered at Police Station City Malout, District Sri Muktsar Sahaib, under sections 452,323,506 IPC and 3(i) (X) of S.C. & S.T.

(Prevention of Atrocities), Act and all consequences arising thereof are quashed, qua the present petitioner.

The petition stands allowed in those terms.

March 17, 2016
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(Fateh Deep Singh)
Judge