

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH

CRM No.M-40756 of 2015

Date of decision : March 30, 2016

Atma Singh and others

...Petitioners...

versus

State of Punjab and another

...Respondents...

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JASPAL SINGH

Present : Mr. A.S. Khosa, Advocate,
for the petitioners.

Mr. J.S. Sekhon, AAG, Punjab,
for respondent No.1.

None 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.207, dated 03.12.2013, under Sections 382, 440, 427, 506, 148 and 149 IPC, at Police Station Sadar Fazilka, District Fazilka (Annexure P-1) and all other subsequent proceedings arising out of the same, on the basis of compromise dated 05.11.2015 (Annexure P-2).

2. In compliance of order dated January 18, 2016, report of Id. Judicial Magistrate has been received, in which, it has been categorically observed that compromise effected between the parties is voluntarily, without any duress, coercion or threat of any kind,

rather the same has been effected in order to keep peace and harmony and to restore cordial relations between the parties. 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.207, dated 03.12.2013, under Sections 382, 440, 427, 506, 148 and 149 IPC, at Police Station Sadar Fazilka, District Fazilka and all other subsequent proceedings arising therefrom are quashed qua the petitioners.

March 30, 2016

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**(JASPAL SINGH)
JUDGE**