

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH

CRM-M-10615 of 2017
Date of Decision: 04.05.2017

Taranjit Singh and othersPetitioners

Vs.

State of Punjab and anotherRespondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE RITU BAHRI

Present:- Mr.Sunil Agnihotri, Advocate for the petitioners.

Ms.Manpreet Dhaliwal, AAG, Punjab.

Mr.Rajesh Kumar Dadwal, Advocate, for respondent No.2

RITU BAHRI, J. (ORAL)

The instant petition has been filed under Section 482 of the Code of Criminal Procedure for quashing of FIR No.30 dated 26.02.2017, for the offence under Sections 498-A IPC, 3 /4 Dowry Act, registered at Police Station Mukerian, District Hoshiarpur (Annexure P-1) along with all consequential proceedings arising therefrom, on the basis of compromise dated 07.03.2017 (Annexure P-2).

It was alleged by the complainant that he has engaged her daughter Rampa Kaur with Taranjit Singh. The date of marriage was fixed i.e. on 26.02.2017. On the night of 25.02.2017, the complainant had received a call from boy's mother Tajinder Kaur that she demanded a car and money as dowry and after marriage ceremony on 26.02.2017, petitioners said the complainant that if he is not fulfil the said demand, they would not take his daughter. On this background, FIR has been registered.

During the pendency of the trial, the matter has been resolved

between the parties and complainant and petitioners have filed their respective affidavits stating therein that daughter of the complainant i.e. Rampa Kaur and petitioner No.1-Taranjit Singh have started living together as husband and wife as the matter has been amicable settled and the complainant has no objection if the present FIR is quashed qua the petitioners.

Consequently, in view of the status report and the judgment of the Hon'ble Supreme Court in the case of **Madan Mohan Abbot vs. State of Punjab 2008(2) RCR (Criminal) 429**, the law laid down by the Full Bench of this Court in the case of **Kulwinder Singh and others Vs. State of Punjab and another 2007(3) RCR (Crl.) 1052**, this Court is of the view that no useful purpose would be served in prolonging the litigation.

Accordingly, FIR No.30 dated 26.02.2017, for the offence under Sections 498-A IPC, 3 /4 Dowry Act, registered at Police Station Mukerian, District Hoshiarpur (Annexure P-1) is quashed along with all consequential proceedings arising therefrom qua the petitioners.

The petition stands disposed of accordingly.

(RITU BAHRI)
JUDGE

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