

**276 IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA  
AT CHANDIGARH**

**CRM-M-13061-2017**

**Date of Decision: May 25, 2017**

Mahender Kumar Singla

.....Petitioner(s)

Versus

State of Haryana and another

....Respondent(s)

**CORAM:- HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE RITU BAHRI**

Present: Mr. Ajay Arora, Advocate  
for the petitioner(s).

Mr. D.R. Singla, D.A.G., Haryana.

**RITU BAHRI, J. (ORAL)**

Quashing of FIR No.131 dated 07.02.2014, under Sections 323, 406, 498-A and 506 of IPC registered at Police Station Sirsa City, is sought on the basis of compromise (Annexure P-1) effected between the parties.

Report by way of affidavit of Shri Vijay Kumar, HPS, Deputy Superintendent of Police (HQ), Sirsa on behalf of the respondent-State of Haryana in Court, same is taken on record.

The F.I.R was registered on the basis of complaint made by Rubi Singla-respondent No.2 (complainant) to the effect that her marriage was solemnized with Mahender Kumar Singla-petitioner on 29.01.2013 according to Hindu rites and rituals. Soon after the marriage, her husband i.e. the petitioner and in-laws started harassing and humiliating her on the pretext of brining insufficient dowry. She was also given beatings by him. In this background, the FIR was registered.

After registration of the FIR, with the intervention of

parties vide compromise (Annexure P-1).

In compliance with the order dated 19.04.2017 passed by this Court, parties got recorded their statements before the trial Court/Illaq Magistrate. Report from the Chief Judicial Magistrate, Sirsa, has been received in this regard. As per report, Rubi Singla-respondent No.2 (complainant) made her statement on 12.05.2017 to the effect that she has compromised the matter with accused-petitioner out of her own free will and without any pressure or coercion. She has no objection if, the above said FIR is quashed. Statement of Mahender Kumara Singla was also recorded to the same effect. In view of separate statements given by the parties, the court is satisfied that the compromise is valid and genuine one.

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 Ors. 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.131 dated 07.02.2014, under Sections 323, 406, 498-A and 506 of IPC registered at Police Station Sirsa City, is quashed with all consequential proceedings arising therefrom qua the petitioner.

The petition stands disposed of accordingly.

May 25, 2017  
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(RITU BAHRI)  
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No

Whether reportable : Yes/No