

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

**CRM NO. M-18151 OF 2016
DECIDED ON : 25.08.2017**

**Hanish Kumar @ Hanish Wadhwa and another
...Petitioners
versus**

**State of Punjab and others
...Respondents**

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL

Present : Mr. Amit Kohar, Advocate,
for the petitioners.

Ms. Monika Jalota, DAG, Punjab.

Mr. Prateek Pandit, Advocate,
for respondents No.2 and 3.

ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL, J. (ORAL)

The petitioners are seeking quashing of cross case registered vide DDR No.26 dated 06.11.2011 under Sections 307/341/324/148/149 IPC and Sections 25 & 27 of Arms Act, registered at Police Station City District Kapurthala, on the basis of compromise arrived at between the parties.

Learned counsel for the petitioners contends that incident is an outcome of a sudden quarrel between the residents of same locality, which has now been resolved.

A co-ordinate Bench of this Court by the order dated 24.05.2017 had directed the parties to appear before the Illaqa Magistrate/trial Court for recording their statements with regard to the veracity of compromise. The Chief Judicial Magistrate,

Kapurthala, has sent her report dated 09.09.2016, wherein it is stated that in pursuance to the order of this Court, statements of the parties were recorded. As per the statements, compromise has been effected without any fear or undue influence.

The FIR is an outcome of a sudden quarrel between the residents of same locality, which has now been resolved with the intervention of respectables.

In view of the law laid down in "**Narinder Singh Vs. State of Punjab**" 2014 (6) SCC 466, no useful purpose will be served by continuing the criminal proceedings. Therefore, the petition is allowed and cross case registered vide DDR No.26 dated 06.11.2011 under Sections 307/341/324/148/149 IPC and Sections 25 & 27 of Arms Act, registered at Police Station City District Kapurthala and all consequential proceedings arising therefrom, are hereby quashed qua the petitioners only.

(ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL)
JUDGE

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Whether speaking/reasoned	:	Yes /	No
Whether reportable	:	Yes /	No