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

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**CRM-M-17893-2017**

**Date of Decision: 25.09.2017**

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Jaswant Singh and others

..... Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and others

..... Respondents

**CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SUDIP AHLUWALIA**

Present: Mr. T.V.S. Lehal, Advocate,  
for the petitioners.

Mr. V.G. Jauhar, Senior DAG, Punjab.

Mr. Sanjeev Roy, Advocate,  
for respondents No.2 and 3.

**SUDIP AHLUWALIA J. (ORAL)**

In this petition, the petitioners, who are the accused persons in F.I.R No.34, dated 27.04.2017, under Sections 452, 379, 427, 323 and 34 of the Indian Penal Code, registered at Police Station Kahnuwan, District Gurdaspur (Annexure P-1), have prayed for quashing of F.I.R. with all subsequent proceedings pending in the Court of Ld. Judicial Magistrate First Class, Gurdaspur, on the basis of compromise.

[2]. During pendency of petition, the complainant has arrived at a settlement with the accused vide Compromise Deed (Annexure P-2), which is duly signed by them. The matter was referred to the Court below for recording of statements of the parties and to report with respect to genuineness of the compromise arrived at between the parties. The Judicial

Magistrate First Class, Gurdaspur, vide report dated 12.09.2017 has

apprised this Court that the compromise arrived at between the parties is genuine and without any pressure.

[3]. Respondents No. 2 and 3 are represented by their counsel.

[4]. In view of the report of the Judicial Magistrate First Class, Gurdaspur, and in view of the decision of the Hon'ble Supreme Court in **“Gian Singh Vs. State of Punjab and another”, 2012(4) RCR (Criminal) 543** and **“Narinder Singh and Others Vs. State of Punjab and Another”, (2014) 6 SCC 466**, this Court is of the opinion that no useful purpose can be served by keeping with the criminal proceedings pending, since the complainant has herself compromised the dispute with the petitioners/accused persons.

[5]. In the circumstances, the present petition is allowed. F.I.R No.34, dated 27.04.2017, under Sections 452, 379, 427, 323 and 34 of IPC, registered at Police Station Kahnuwan, District Gurdaspur (Annexure P-1), and all consequential proceedings arising therefrom, are hereby quashed qua the present petitioners.

**25.09.2017**

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**(SUDIP AHLUWALIA)  
JUDGE**

1. Whether speaking/reasoned: Yes

2. Whether reportable: No