

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

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CRM-M-2048 of 2017

DATE OF DECISION:31.07.2017

BHAGWANT SINGH AND ORS.**... Petitioner(s)****V.****STATE OF PUNJAB AND ANR.****... Respondent(s)****CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL**

Present: Mr. Prashant Vashishth, Advocate
for the petitioners.

Mr. H.S. Grewal, Addl. A.G., Punjab.

ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL, J. (ORAL)

The petitioners are seeking quashing of FIR No.112 dated 14.06.2014, under Sections 341, 323, 324, 506, 148, 149 IPC registered at Police Station Sahnewal, Ludhiana City and subsequent proceedings arising therefrom, on the basis of compromise dated 21.11.2016 (Annexure P-2) which has been arrived at between the parties.

Learned counsel for the petitioners contends that the FIR is outcome of a family dispute which has now been resolved with the intervention of the respectables.

A coordinate Bench of this Court vide order dated 24.04.2017 had directed the parties to appear before the trial Court to record the statements of the parties with regard to genuineness of the compromise and send a report to this Court. The report of JMIC, Ludhiana dated 07.06.2017 has been received, wherein it is stated that in pursuance to the order of this Court, the statements of the parties were recorded which indicates that the compromise is genuine, without any coercion or undue influence.

The aforementioned FIR is the outcome of a family dispute, which has now been resolved with the intervention of the respectables.

In view of the mandate of the Hon'ble Supreme Court in the case of *Narinder Singh and others Vs. State of Punjab and another, (2014) 6 SCC 466*, no useful purpose will be served by continuing the criminal proceedings. Therefore, the petition is allowed and of FIR No.112 dated 14.06.2014, under Sections 341, 323, 324, 506, 148, 149 IPC registered at Police Station Sahnewal, Ludhiana City and subsequent proceedings arising therefrom, are hereby quashed qua the petitioners.

July 31, 2017

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**(ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL)
JUDGE**

Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes / No

Whether reportable : Yes / No