

CRM No. M-23080 of 2017

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IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH

CRM No. M-23080 of 2017
Date of Decision : 06.11.2017

Sawinder Singh

...Petitioner

versus

State of Punjab and another

...Respondents

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL

Present : Mr. G.S. Sidhu, Advocate for
Mr. Parvez Chugh, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Kanisth Ganeriwala, Assistant Advocate General,
Punjab.

ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL, J. (ORAL)

The petitioner is seeking quashing of FIR No. 58 dated 10.05.2015, under Sections 457/380 IPC (Section 411 IPC added later on), registered at Police Station Mamdot, District Ferozepur (Annexure P-2) and all consequential proceedings arising therefrom on the basis of compromise dated (Annexure P-1) arrived at between the parties.

Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that the petitioner and complainant are residing in same village and earlier the complainant had lodged FIR against the unknown persons and later the petitioner was arrayed as accused, however, the matter has been compromised with the intervention of the respectables and the parties are now residing peacefully.

This Court vide order dated 03.07.2017 had directed

the parties to appear before the trial Court/Ilalaqa Magistrate for recording their statements with regard to the genuineness of compromise. The report of Judicial Magistrate Ist Class, Ferozepur dated 05.08.2017 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 they have entered into compromise voluntarily and without any pressure or coercion.

The petitioner and complainant are residing in same village and earlier the complainant had lodged FIR against the unknown persons and later the petitioner was arrayed as accused. The matter has now been compromised and the parties want to live in peace and harmony.

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 FIR No. 58 dated 10.05.2015, under Sections 457/380 IPC (Section 411 IPC added later on), registered at Police Station Mamdot, District Ferozepur (Annexure P-2) and all consequential proceedings arising therefrom, are hereby quashed qua the petitioner only.

(ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL)
JUDGE

November 06, 2017
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<i>Whether speaking/reasoned?</i>	<i>Yes</i>
<i>Whether reportable?</i>	<i>No</i>