

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT  
CHANDIGARH

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CRM-M-25647 of 2017  
DATE OF DECISION:30.08.2017

Gurpreet Singh and others

... Petitioner(s)

V.

State of Punjab and others

... Respondent(s)

**CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL**

Present: Mr. Anil Kumar Rana, Advocate for  
Mr. Rajan Bansal, Advocate  
for the petitioners.

Ms. Monika Jalota, Deputy Advocate General, Punjab.

Mr. J.P. Rana, Advocate for  
Mr. Ashish Gupta, Advocate for respondents No.2 and 3.

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**ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL, J. (ORAL)**

The petitioners are seeking quashing of DDR/Rapat No.37 dated 28.02.2017, under Sections 323, 324, 325 of the IPC, registered at Police Station Dharamkot, District Moga, on the basis of compromise, which has been arrived at between the parties.

Learned counsel for the petitioners contends that this is a cross-version case in the FIR No.37, dated 28.02.2017, under Sections 323, 324, 148, 149, 506 IPC (Section 325 IPC added later on), registered at Police Station Dharamkot, District Moga, which is outcome of a sudden quarrel between the villagers, which has now been resolved with the intervention of the respectables.

A coordinate Bench of this Court vide order dated 20.07.2017 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, Moga dated 28.08.2017 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 the compromise is genuine, without any coercion or undue influence.

The FIR is outcome of a sudden quarrel between the villagers, 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 cross-version case vide DDR/Rapat No.37 dated 28.02.2017, under Sections 323, 324, 325 of the IPC, registered at Police Station Dharamkot, District Moga in the FIR No.37 dated 28.02.2017, registered under Sections 323, 324, 148, 149, 506 (Section 325 IPC added later on), registered at Police Station Dharamkot, District Moga on the basis of compromise and subsequent proceedings arising therefrom, are hereby quashed qua the petitioners.

30.08.2017

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(ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL)  
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes / No

Whether reportable : Yes / No