

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

CRM-M-30161-2016

Date of Decision: 23.10.2017

Gurbakhsh Singh and others

..... Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and another

..... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SUDIP AHLUWALIA

Present: Ms. Satwant Mehta, Advocate,
for the petitioners.

Mr. Luvinder Sofat, AAG, Punjab.

Mr. Jasmandeep Singh, Advocate
for the respondent No.2.

SUDIP AHLUWALIA J. (ORAL)

In this petition, the petitioners, who are the accused persons in F.I.R No.130, dated 31.10.2011, under Sections 326, 323, 324 and 34 of the Indian Penal Code, registered at Police Station Sarhali, District Taran Taran (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, Taran Taran, 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 him. 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, Tarn Taran, vide report dated 15.09.2017 has apprised this Court that the compromise arrived at between the parties is genuine and without any pressure.

[3]. Respondents No.2 is represented by his counsel and has objection to quashing of FIR.

[4]. In view of the report of the Judicial Magistrate First Class, Tarn Taran, 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 himself compromised the dispute with the petitioners/accused persons.

[5]. In the circumstances, the present petition is allowed. F.I.R No.130, dated 31.10.2011 under Sections 326, 323, 324 and 34 of the IPC, registered at Police Station Sarhali, District Tarn Taran (Annexure P-1), and all consequential proceedings arising therefrom, are hereby quashed qua the present petitioners.

23.10.2017

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**(SUDIP AHLUWALIA)
JUDGE**

1. Whether speaking/reasoned: Yes

2. Whether reportable: No