

CRM No. M-29652 of 2017

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IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT  
CHANDIGARH

CRM No. M-29652 of 2017  
Date of Decision : 15.09.2017

Pardeep Singh and another

...Petitioners

versus

State of Punjab and another

...Respondents

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

Present : Mr. A.P.S. Luna, Advocate for the petitioners.

Ms. Rajni Gupta, Senior Deputy Advocate General,  
Punjab.

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

The petitioners are seeking quashing of FIR No. 67 dated 05.05.2017, under Sections 379-B, 341, 427, 148, 149 IPC, registered at Police Station Model Town, Hoshiarpur, on the basis of compromise dated 26.07.2017 (Annexure P-1) arrived at between the parties.

Learned counsel for the petitioners contends that the FIR was lodged due to misunderstanding, which has now been resolved and the matter has been compromised.

This Court vide order dated 16.08.2017 had directed the parties to appear before the trial Court for recording their statements with regard to the genuineness of compromise. The report of the Judicial Magistrate Ist Class, Hoshiarpur, dated 07.09.2017, 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 without any coercion or pressure.

The FIR is stated to be lodged due to misunderstanding, which has now been resolved 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. 67 dated 05.05.2017, under Sections 379-B, 341, 427, 148, 149 IPC, registered at Police Station Model Town, Hoshiarpur and all consequential proceedings arising therefrom, are hereby quashed qua the petitioners only.

September 15, 2017  
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(ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL)  
JUDGE

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| <i>Whether speaking/reasoned?</i> | <i>Yes</i> |
| <i>Whether reportable?</i>        | <i>No</i>  |