

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

CRM-M-33260-2017 (O&M)

Date of Decision: 09.11.2017

Lovepreet Singh and others

...Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and another

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SUDIP AHLUWALIA

Present: Mr. Ritesh Pandey, Advocate
for the petitioners.

Mr. Ayush Sarna, AAG, Punjab.

Mr. Deepak Kumar Bartia, Advocate
for respondent No. 2.

SUDIP AHLUWALIA, J. (ORAL)

[1] In this petition, the petitioners, who are the accused in FIR No. 6, dated 24.01.2017, under Sections 326, 323, 324, 452, 148 and 149 of the Indian Penal Code (for short 'IPC'), registered at Police Station Khilchain, District Amritsar Rural, have prayed for quashing of FIR, 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 Sub Divisional Judicial Magistrate, Baba Bakala Sahib, District Amritsar, vide report dated 26.10.2017, has apprised this Court that the compromise arrived at between the parties is genuine and without any pressure.

[3]. Respondent No.2 is represented by his counsel and does not oppose compromise.

[4] In view of the report of the Sub Divisional Judicial Magistrate, Baba Bakala Sahib, District Amritsar, and in view of the decisions 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 petitioner/accused.

[5]. In the circumstances, the present petition is allowed. FIR No. 6, dated 24.01.2017, under Sections 326, 323, 324, 452, 148 and 149 of IPC, registered at Police Station Khilchain, District Amritsar Rural is hereby quashed *qua* the petitioners.

November 09, 2017
Divyanshi

(SUDIP AHLUWALIA)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned:	Yes/No
Whether Reportable:	Yes/No