

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

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**CRM-M-33643-2017
DATE OF DECISION: 10.10.2017**

HARPREET KAUR AND ORS

... Petitioner(s)

Versus

STATE OF PUNJAB & ORS

... Respondent(s)

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL

Present: Mr. Kamaldeep Kaur, Advocate
for the petitioner(s).

Ms. Seena Mand, DAG, Punjab.

Mr. Ankur Pandey, Advocate for the complainant.

ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL, J. (ORAL)

The petitioners are seeking quashing of FIR No.92 dated 17.07.2014, under Sections 323/324/34 IPC, registered at Police Station Dirba, Tehsil Dirba, District Sangrur (Annexure P-1), on the basis of compromise dated 10.08.2017 (Annexure P-2) arrived at between the parties.

Learned counsel for the petitioners contends that FIR is an offshoot of a dispute between the residents of the same village over sharing of water, which has now been resolved with the intervention of respectables.

This Court by the order dated 12.09.2017 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, Sunam, dated 07.10.2017 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 an offshoot of a dispute between the residents of the same village over sharing of water, which has now been resolved with the intervention of 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 FIR No.92 dated 17.07.2014, under Sections 323/324/34 IPC, registered at Police Station Dirba, Tehsil Dirba, District Sangrur (Annexure P-1) and all subsequent proceedings arising therefrom, are hereby quashed qua the petitioners only.

10.10.2017

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**(ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL)
JUDGE**

Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes / No

Whether reportable : Yes / No