

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CRM No. M-5674 of 2017
Date of Decision : 02.08.2017

Sukhdeep Singh

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and another

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL

Present: Mr. R.V.S. Chugh, Advocate for the petitioner.

Ms. Seena Mand, Deputy Advocate General, Punjab.

Ms. Sunita Gupta, Advocate for respondent No. 2.

Anupinder Singh Grewal, J.(Oral)

The petitioner is seeking quashing of FIR No. 49, dated 31.03.2010, under Sections 420, 406 IPC, registered at Police Station Kapurthala City, District Kapurthala, on the basis of compromise dated 08.12.2016 (Annexure P-4), which has been arrived at between the parties.

Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that the FIR is outcome of a monetary dispute for sale of land, which has now been resolved with the intervention of the respectables.

A coordinate Bench of this Court vide order dated 20.02.2017 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 the Judicial Magistrate Ist Class, Kapurthala, dated 23.03.2017, 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 undue influence.

The afore-noted FIR is the outcome of a monetary dispute, which has now been resolved and the parties want to put quietus to the litigation. In view 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. 49, dated 31.03.2010, under Sections 420, 406 IPC, registered at Police Station Kapurthala City, District Kapurthala and all consequential proceedings arising therefrom are hereby quashed qua the petitioner.

(ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL)
JUDGE

August 02, 2017
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Whether speaking/reasoned?	Yes
Whether reportable?	No