

IN THE HIGH COURT FOR THE STATES OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CRM-M-7552-2017

Date of decision: July 03, 2017.

Banta Singh @ Bant Singh and others

... **Petitioners**

v.

State of Punjab and another

... **Respondents**

CORAM: **HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE A.B. CHAUDHARI**

Present: Shri RVS Chugh, Advocate for the petitioners.

Ms. Samina Dhir, Deputy Advocate General, Punjab.

Ms. Amandeep Sibia, Advocate for respondent No.2.

A.B. Chaudhari, J. (Oral):

Heard learned Counsel for the rival parties. The petitioners seek quashing of FIR No.81 dated 02.12.2016, under Sections 420, 467, 468, 471 IPC, PS Joga, District Mansa on the basis of compounding/compromise. Pursuant to the order dated 6.3.2017, report of the learned Additional Chief Judicial Magistrate, Mansa has been received who has recorded the statements of the parties and reported that the compromise has been effected voluntarily, without any pressure or coercion. In that view of the matter, the petition is allowed and the impugned FIR, along with all consequential proceedings, is quashed by way of compounding/ compromise subject to deposit of costs of Rs.1,000/- with the Bar Council for the States of Punjab and Haryana.

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[**A.B. Chaudhari**]

Judge

Whether speaking/reasoned

Yes/No

Whether reportable

Yes/No