

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

**CRM No. M-878 of 2017
Date of decision: 08.03.2017**

Karamvir and others

...Petitioners

Versus

State of Haryana and another

...Respondents

CORAM:HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE RITU BAHRI

Present: Mr. S.K. Yadav, Advocate,
for the petitioners.

Mr. D.R. Singla, DAG, Haryana.

Mr. Naresh Kumar Ganga, Advocate,
for respondent No.2.

Ritu Bahri, J.

Quashing of FIR No. 434 dated 27.09.2015, under Sections 498-A/323/506 read with Section 34 IPC, registered at Police Station, Mahendergarh, District Mahendergarh (Annexure P-1) is sought on the basis of compromise dated 27.12.2016 (Annexure P-2).

The F.I.R was registered on the basis of statement made by Manisha-respondent No.2 (complainant) to the effect that her marriage was solemnized with Karamvir-petitioner No.1 on 20.02.2007 as per Hindu rites and ceremonies. Soon after the marriage, her in-laws (petitioners) started harassing and humiliating her on the pretext of bringing insufficient dowry. She was also given beatings by them. In this background, the FIR was registered.

After registration of the FIR, with the intervention of respectable persons, the matter has been amicably resolved between the parties vide compromise deed dated 27.12.2016 (Annexure P-2).

In compliance with the order dated 16.01.2017 passed by this Court, parties got recorded their statements before the trial Court/Illaq Magistrate. Report from the Judicial Magistrate, Ist Class, Mahendergarh, has been received in this regard. As per report, Manisha-respondent No.2 (complainant) made her statement on 30.01.2017 to the effect that she has compromised the matter with accused-petitioners out of her own free will and without any pressure or coercion. She has no objection if, the above said FIR is quashed. Joint statements of Karamvir, Deep Chand and Sarla-petitioners was also recorded to the same effect. In view of separate statements given by the parties, the court is satisfied that the compromise is valid and genuine one.

Consequently, in view of the status report and the judgment of the Hon'ble Supreme Court in the case of **Madan Mohan Abbot vs. State of Punjab 2008(2) RCR (Criminal) 429**, the law laid down by the Full Bench of this Court in the case of **Kulwinder Singh and Ors. vs. State of Punjab and another 2007(3) RCR (Crl.) 1052**, this Court is of the view that no useful purpose would be served in prolonging the litigation.

Accordingly, FIR No. 434 dated 27.09.2015, under Sections 498-A/323/506 read with Section 34 IPC, registered at Police Station, Mahendergarh, District Mahendergarh, is quashed with all consequential proceedings arising therefrom qua the petitioners.

The petition stands disposed of accordingly.

08.03.2017
ajp

(RITU BAHRI)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No
Whether reportable : Yes/No