

In the High Court of Punjab and Haryana at Chandigarh

CRM M-14562 of 2018 (O&M)

Date of Decision: July 19, 2018

Pritpal Singh and others

... *Petitioners*

Versus

State of Haryana and another

... *Respondents*

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE P.B. BAJANTHRI

Present: Mr. Deepak Sharma, Advocate,
for the petitioners.

Mr. Munish Sharma, AAG, Haryana.

Mr. J.S. Khattar, Advocate,
for respondent no.2.

P.B. Bajanthri, J. (Oral)

1. In the present petition, petitioners are seeking quashing of FIR No. 0289, dated 20.06.2017, under Sections 406, 420 IPC, registered at Police Station Ambala City, Ambala, later on offence under Sections 467, 468, 471, 120-B IPC was added and charge-sheet dated 16.02.2018 and all subsequent proceedings arising therefrom, on the basis of compromise dated 15.03.2018 (Annexure P/3).

2. This Court while ordering notice of motion, had directed the parties to appear before the trial Court for the purpose of recording their statements with regard to veracity of the compromise. The Chief Judicial Magistrate, Ambala has sent her report dated 23.04.2018 wherein it is stated that in pursuance to the order of this Court, statements of the parties were recorded. As per the statements, compromise has been effected without any fear or undue influence.

3. In view of the law laid down in *Narinder Singh vs. State of Punjab* reported in **(2014) 6 SCC 466**, no useful purpose will be served by continuing the criminal proceedings. Therefore, present petition is allowed and FIR No. 289, dated 20.06.2017, under Sections 406, 420, 467, 468, 471, 120-B IPC, registered at Police Station Ambala City, Ambala (Annexure P/1) along with all subsequent proceedings arising therefrom, are hereby set aside.

4. Petitioners are liable to pay litigation cost of Rs. 15,000/- (Rs. 3000/- each) to the Treasury, State of Haryana within a period of two months from today.

July 19, 2018
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[P.B. Bajanthri]
Judge

Whether reasoned / speaking : Yes

Whether reportable : No