

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

**CRM-M-16113-2017
Decided on: 28.09.2018**

Dinesh Sharma	Versus	 Petitioner
State of Punjab and another		 Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE H.S. MADAAN

Present: Petitioner in person, with
Ms. G.K. Mann, Advocate.

Mr. Dhruv Dayal, Sr. DAG, Punjab.

Complainant-respondent No.2 in person, with
Mr. Vansh Malhotra, Advocate.

H.S. MADAAN, J (ORAL)

This is a petition under Section 482 Cr.P.C. for quashing of complaint No. 42/2016 dated 09.09.2016 under Section 12 of the Protection of Women from Domestic Violence Act 2005 titled as “Bharti Sharma vs. Dinesh Sharma” and all consequential proceedings arising thereof though filed by the petitioner-Dinesh Sharma in this petition. He has arrayed State of Punjab as respondent No.1 and his wife-Bharti Sharma who is complainant in the complaint as respondent No.2. Though firstly, the petitioner had filed the petition seeking quashing of compliant and ancillary proceedings on merits. However on getting notice, respondent No.2-complainant had appeared and matter was referred to Mediation and Conciliation Centre of this Court so as to explore the possibility of amicable settlement.

2. As per report received from such Centre, the dispute is finally been settled between the parties. Copy of settlement/agreement has been forwarded to this Court. Both the petitioner and the complainant are present

in the Court. Complainant has stated that she has no objection if the petition is accepted and the complaint alongwith ancillary proceedings are quashed.

3. I have heard learned counsel for the petitioner, learned State counsel besides going through the record.

4. In terms of the settlement, the spouses have decided to part ways and a sum of Rs.7 lacs is to be paid by the petitioner to the complainant. The settlement is in the interest of both the spouses and shall bring about peace and tranquility in the society.

5. Therefore, the petition is accepted and complaint No. 42/2016 dated 09.09.2016 under Section 12 of the Protection of Women from Domestic Violence Act 2005 titled as “Bharti Sharma vs. Dinesh Sharma” alongwith ancillary proceedings are ordered to be quashed.

(H.S. MADAAN)
JUDGE

28.09.2018

Dinesh

Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No

Whether Reportable : Yes/No