

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

CRM-M-17394-2018 (O&M)

Date of Decision:- 21.8.2018

Gurdev Singh @ Mangi and another ... Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and another ... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE GURVINDER SINGH GILL

Present:- Mr. Rishu Mahajan, Advocate, for the petitioners.

Ms. Simranjeet Kaur, AAG, Punjab.

Mr. Amandeep Chhabra, Advocate, for respondents No.2 and 3.

GURVINDER SINGH GILL, J. (Oral)

The present petition has been filed for quashing of FIR No. 168 dated 4.10.2017 under Sections 406 and 420 IPC and Section 24 of Immigration Act, Police Station Division 5, District Jalandhar and proceedings emanating therefrom on the basis of a compromise having been effected between the parties.

Vide order dated 26.4.2018 the parties had been directed to appear before the trial Court/Illaq Magistrate so as to get the statements recorded.

Report of learned Judicial Magistrate 1st Class, Jalandhar has been received wherein it has been reported that statements of the petitioners

as well as of complainants Sargotam Mani and Shivjinder Singh have been recorded who have stated that they have compromised the matter with the intervention of respectables and that Sargotam Mani and Shivjinder Singh have no objection if the FIR is quashed. It has specifically been opined by learned Judicial Magistrate 1st Class, Jalandhar that the compromise is genuine and has been effected voluntarily without there being any undue influence or coercion from any quarter.

In view of the aforesaid report and bearing in mind the law laid down by Full Bench of this Court in 2007(3) RCR (Crl.) 1052 Kulwinder Singh and others Vs. State of Punjab, the petition stands allowed and FIR No. 168 dated 4.10.2017 under Sections 406 and 420 IPC and Section 24 of Immigration Act, Police Station Division 5, District Jalandhar and all the consequent proceedings arising therefrom are hereby quashed.

August 21, 2018

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(Gurvinder Singh Gill)
Judge

Whether speaking /reasoned	Yes / No
Whether Reportable	Yes / No