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

**CRM-M-21880-2018(O&M)
Date of Decision : 18.08.2018**

Kiranjot Kaur and others**...Petitioners**

Versus

State of Punjab and others**...Respondents****CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE P.B.BAJANTHRI**

Present: None for the petitioner.

Mr. Luvinder Sofat, AAG, Punjab.

1. In the instant petition, the petitioners are seeking quashing of FIR No. 82 dated 12.11.2017 under Sections 420 & 120-B IPC registered at Police Station Tibber, District Gurdaspur (Annexure P-15) and all consequential proceedings arising therefrom on the basis of compromise arrived at between the parties.

2. The present FIR is an outcome of money dispute and now it has been resolved among parties and sought for quashing of FIR in view of compromise.

3. Vide order dated 21.05.2018, the parties were directed to appear before the trial Court for the purpose of recording their statements. In pursuance to the said order, the parties appeared before the Additional Chief Judicial Magistrate, Gurdaspur and got recorded their statements. After recording the statements of the parties, the Additional Chief Judicial Magistrate, Gurdaspur has furnished the communication dated 30.05.2018 submitting that the compromise entered into between the parties is genuine

and free from any threat, pressure or undue influence.

4. In view of the law laid down in “*Narinder Singh Vs. State of Punjab*” 2014 (6) SCC 466, no useful purpose will be served by continuing the criminal proceedings. Therefore, the petition is allowed and FIR No. 82 dated 12.11.2017 under Sections 420 & 120-B IPC registered at Police Station Tibber, District Gurdaspur (Annexure P-15) and all consequential proceedings arising therefrom, are hereby quashed against the petitioners subject to payment of litigation cost of Rs.3000/- by each of the petitioner to State of Punjab. Cost shall be remitted in the Treasury, State of Punjab within a period of two months from today.

18th August, 2018
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(P.B. BAJANTHRI)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned?
Whether reportable?

Yes
No