

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

Crl. Misc. M-26667 of 2017 (O&M)
Date of Decision: May 10, 2018

Vinod Kumar @ Chintu

...Petitioner

Versus

Sanjeeta Rani

...Respondent

CORAM:- HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE JAISHREE THAKUR

Present:- Mr. Parminder Singh, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Namit Sharma, Advocate
for the respondent.

JAISHREE THAKUR, J. (Oral)

This is a petition that has been filed under Section 482 Cr.P.C. praying for setting aside the order dated 15.05.2017 passed by learned Additional Chief Judicial Magistrate, Karnal in Complaint Case No.8/15 instituted on 07.02.2015 titled as “*Sanjeeta Rani vs. Vinod Kumar @ Chintu and others*” whereby custody of two daughters as an interim measure were directed to be handed over to respondent.

During the pendency of these proceedings, the parties were referred to the Mediation and Conciliation Centre of this court by an order dated 22.01.2018, which has been successful. A compromise deed dated 28.02.2018 has been entered into between the parties. As per the compromise arrived at, respondent-Sanjeeta Rani has agreed not to take

custody of their minor daughters, who have been raised by Vinod Kumar @ Chintu father, the petitioner herein, while further agreeing that the case that has been filed under Section 498-A of Indian Penal Code pending before the trial court to continue and the verdict would be acceptable to both the parties.

In view of the fact that the matter stands compromised between the parties, the impugned order dated 15.05.2017 whereby the interim custody of the minor children had been given to respondent-Sanjeeta Rani in proceedings initiated under Section 12 of Protection of Women from Domestic Violence Act is hereby set aside. It is made clear that the parties herein shall remain bound by the terms of the compromise.

The petition stands disposed of accordingly.

May 10, 2018
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(JAISHREE THAKUR)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned
Whether reportable

Yes/No
Yes/No