

122**IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH****CRM-M-30232-2018
Date of decision: 08.10.2018****Karamjit Singh and others****..... Petitioners****Versus****State of Punjab and another****..... Respondents****CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAMENDRA JAIN****Present:** Mr. Balbir Singh Saini, Advocate
for the petitioners.

Mr. A. S. Gill, DAG, Punjab.

None for respondent No. 2.

RAMENDRA JAIN, J. (ORAL)

1. Through this petition under Section 482 Cr.P.C., prayer has been made for quashing FIR No. 0038 dated 01.02.2018, under Sections 406, 420, 120-B, 506 of the IPC, registered at Police Station Sahnewal, District Ludhiana (Annexure P-1) and all subsequent proceedings arising therefrom, on the basis of the compromise dated 24.05.2018 (Annexure P-2) effected between the parties.

2. Vide orders dated 03.08.2018 and 11.09.2018, the parties were directed to appear before the trial Court to get their statements recorded for compromise with a direction to the trial Court, to furnish a report qua veracity of the compromise.

3. Consequently, parties appeared before the Judicial Magistrate Ist Class, Ludhiana and got recorded their statements qua compromise on

27.09.2018. Report from the Judicial Magistrate Ist Class, Ludhiana, vide letter No. 458 dated 04.10.2018, duly forwarded by learned District & Sessions Judge, Ludhiana, vide Endst. No. 896/EC dated 05.10.2018, has been received. According to the report of the Judicial Magistrate Ist Class, Ludhiana, the compromise is genuine and it is voluntarily effected between the parties with their free consent and without any pressure, threat, coercion or undue influence from any side.

4. In view of the totality of the facts and circumstances and considering the fact that the compromise will bring harmony in relations between the parties, this petition is allowed and the aforesaid FIR No. 0038 dated 01.02.2018, under Sections 406, 420, 120-B, 506 of the IPC, registered at Police Station Sahnewal, District Ludhiana (Annexure P-1) and all subsequent proceedings arising therefrom, qua the petitioners is quashed, subject to payment of costs of Rs. 10,000/-, out of which Rs. 4,000/- shall be deposited with the Bar Association of Punjab and Haryana, High Court, Rs. 1000/- with the Bar Council of Punjab and Haryana and Rs. 5,000/- with High Court Legal Services Committee, within two weeks from today, failing which this petition shall be deemed to be dismissed.

5. List on 16.11.2018, for production of receipts regarding deposit of costs.

8th October, 2018

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**(RAMENDRA JAIN)
JUDGE**

Whether speaking/reasoned

Yes/No

Whether Reportable

Yes/No