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

**CRM-M-35936-2018 (O&M)
Date of decision: 24.09.2018**

Rajnish Puri alias Goldy**..... Petitioner**

Versus

State of Punjab and another**..... Respondents****CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAMENDRA JAIN**

Present: Mr. Amaninder Singh Sekhon, Advocate
for the petitioner.

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

Mr. Vikas Sonak, Advocate
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. 180 dated 28.10.2012 under Sections 324/148/149 of the IPC later on enhanced offence under Sections 326/34 of IPC at Police Station City Kotkapura, District Faridkot (Annexure P-1) and all subsequent proceedings arising therefrom, on the basis of settlement agreement dated 27.11.2017 (Annexure P-2) effected between the parties.

2. Vide orders dated 20.08.2018, 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, Faridkot and got recorded their statements qua compromise on 01.09.2018. Report from the Judicial Magistrate Ist Class, Faridkot, vide

letter No.104 dated 06.09.2018, duly forwarded by learned District and Sessions Judge, Faridkot, vide letter No. 2742/EB, Dated 06.09.2018, has been received. According to the report of the learned Judicial Magistrate Ist Class, Faridkot, 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. 180 dated 28.10.2012 under Sections 324/148/149 of the IPC later on enhanced offence under Sections 326/34 of IPC at Police Station City Kotkapura, District Faridkot (Annexure P-1) and all subsequent proceedings arising therefrom, qua the petitioner 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 the Punjab and Haryana High Court Legal Services Committee, within two weeks from today, failing which this petition shall be deemed to be dismissed.

5. List on 23.10.2018, for production of receipts regarding deposit of costs.

24th September, 2018

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**(RAMENDRA JAIN)
JUDGE**

Whether speaking/reasoned

Yes/No

Whether Reportable

Yes/No