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

**CRM-M-39438-2016 (O&M)
Date of decision: 04.10.2018**

Manjit Singh

..... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and another

..... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAMENDRA JAIN

Present: Mr. Amit Arora, Advocate
for the petitioner

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

Mr. Jagdish Rai, Legal Aid Counsel
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. 07 dated 28.01.2010 under Section 420 of the IPC at Police Station Sarhali District Tarn Taran (Annexure P-1) and order dated 25.08.2014 passed by learned Judicial Magistrate, Ist Class, Tarn Taran vide which the petitioner has been declared as proclaimed offender (Anneuxre P-3) all subsequent proceedings arising therefrom, on the basis of compromise (Annexure P-4) effected between the parties.

2. Vide orders dated 07.09.2018, 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, Tarn Taran and got recorded their statements qua compromise on

17.09.2018. Report from the Judicial Magistrate Ist Class, Tarn Taran, vide letter No.463 dated 27.09.2018, duly forwarded by learned District and Sessions Judge, Tarn Taran, vide Endst. No. 5429-R, Dated 27.09.2018, has been received. According to the report of the Judicial Magistrate Ist Class, Tarn Taran, the compromise is genuine, voluntary and without any 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 peace and harmony in relations between the parties, this petition is allowed and the aforesaid FIR No. 07 dated 28.01.2010 under Section 420 of the IPC at Police Station Sarhali District Tarn Taran (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 High Court Legal Services Committee, within two weeks from today, failing which this petition shall be deemed to be dismissed.

5. List on 01.11.2018, for production of receipts regarding deposit of costs.

4th October, 2018

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**(RAMENDRA JAIN)
JUDGE**

Whether speaking/reasoned

Yes/No

Whether Reportable

Yes/No