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

**CRM-M-4935-2018
Date of Decision: 09.05.2018**

Sanambir Singh and another

..... Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and another

..... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SUDIP AHLUWALIA

Present: Mr. N.K. Vadehra, Advocate,
for the petitioners.

Mr. Kirat Singh Sidhu, DAG, Punjab,
for respondent No.1-State.

None for respondent No.2.

SUDIP AHLUWALIA J. (ORAL)

In this petition, the petitioners, who are the accused persons in FIR No.111 dated 01.11.2017 under Section 420 of the Indian Penal Code (in short 'IPC'), registered at Police Station Ghuman, District Batala (Annexure P-1), have prayed for quashing of F.I.R. with all subsequent proceedings, on the basis of compromise.

[2]. With the intervention of respectables and elderly people of the society, the complainant has arrived at a settlement with the accused vide Compromise (Annexure P-2), which is duly signed by him. The matter was referred to the Court below for recording of statements of the parties and to report with respect to genuineness of the compromise arrived at between the parties. The Judicial Magistrate First Class, Batala, vide report dated 30.04.2018, has apprised this Court that the compromise arrived at between

the parties is genuine and without any pressure.

[3]. No one has put in appearance on behalf of respondent No. 2/complainant to oppose the compromise.

[4]. In view of the report of the Judicial Magistrate First Class, Batala, and in view of the decisions of the Hon'ble Supreme Court in “Gian Singh Vs. State of Punjab and another”, 2012(4) RCR (Criminal) 543 and “Narinder Singh and others Vs. State of Punjab and Another”, (2014) 6 SCC 466, this Court is of the opinion that no useful purpose can be served by keeping with the criminal proceedings pending, since the complainant has himself compromised the dispute with the petitioners/accused persons.

[5]. In the circumstances, the present petition is allowed. FIR No.111 dated 01.11.2017 under Section 420 of the IPC registered at Police Station Ghuman, District Batala (Annexure P-1), and all consequential proceedings arising therefrom, are hereby quashed qua the present petitioners.

09.05.2018

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(SUDIP AHLUWALIA)
JUDGE

1. Whether speaking/reasoned: Yes

2. Whether reportable: No