

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

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**CRM-M-7970-2017
DATE OF DECISION:08.05.2018**

KARAMJIT @ BATERI

... Petitioner(s)

Versus

STATE OF PUNJAB AND ANR.

... Respondent(s)

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL

Present: Mr. B.D. Sharma, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Ms. Seena Mand, DAG, Punjab.

Mr. Pawan Sharma, Advocate for respondent No.2.

ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL, J. (ORAL)

The petitioner is seeking quashing of FIR No.77 dated 19.09.2011, under Sections 323, 324, 452, 148, 149 IPC, registered at Police Station Lambra, District Jalandhar (Annexure P-1), on the basis of compromise dated 17.02.2017 (Annexure P-3), which has been arrived at between the parties.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that the FIR is outcome of a sudden quarrel between the parties in which only simple injuries were caused. The matter has now been compromised between the parties.

3. A coordinate Bench of this Court vide order dated 14.11.2017 had directed the parties to appear before the trial Court to record the statements of the parties with regard to genuineness of the compromise and send a report to this Court. The report of Judicial Magistrate Ist Class, Jalandhar dated 16.01.2018 has been received, wherein it is stated that in

pursuance to the order of this Court, the statements of the parties were recorded which indicates that the compromise is genuine, without any coercion or undue influence.

4. The FIR is outcome of a sudden quarrel between the parties in which only simple injuries were caused.

5. In view of the mandate of the Hon'ble Supreme Court in the case of *Narinder Singh and others Vs. State of Punjab and another, (2014) 6 SCC 466*, no useful purpose will be served by continuing the criminal proceedings. Therefore, the petition is allowed FIR No.77 dated 19.09.2011, under Sections 323, 324, 452, 148, 149 IPC, registered at Police Station Lambra, District Jalandhar (Annexure P-1) and subsequent proceedings arising therefrom, are hereby quashed qua the petitioner.

08.05.2017

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(ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes / No

Whether reportable : Yes / No