

In the High Court of Punjab and Haryana at Chandigarh

**Crl. Misc. No. M-7632 of 2018
Date of Decision: 31.5.2018**

Gurpreet Singh alias Gopi and others

.....Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and another

.....Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE ANITA CHAUDHRY

Present: Mr. N.S.Dandiwal, Advocate
for the petitioners.

Mr. K.S.Aulakh, DAG, Punjab.

Mr. Amandeep Saini, Advocate
for respondent No. 2.

ANITA CHAUDHRY, J (ORAL)

The instant petition is for quashing of FIR No. 184 dated 28.12.2013 registered under Sections 498-A, 406 IPC, Police Station Bagha Purana, District Moga (Annexure P-1) and all the consequent proceedings arising out of the same, on the basis of compromise dated 29.1.2018 (Annexure P-3) arrived at between the parties.

Though the petition was filed through one of the attorney but the parties have appeared to make their statements.

Report has been received from the trial Court after statements of the parties were recorded regarding the compromise. The trial Court has reported that the compromise is genuine, voluntary and out of the free will of the parties. The trial Court has also sent the statements of the parties.

Learned counsel for the State on instructions submits that

petitioners are the only accused and respondent No. 2 is the only aggrieved person in this FIR.

No useful purpose would be served to keep the FIR pending.

In view of the statements and report of the trial Court and the principles laid down by the Full Bench judgment of this Court in **Kulwinder Singh and others Vs. State of Punjab and another, 2007(3) RCR (Criminal) 1052**, approved by Hon'ble Apex Court in **Gian Singh Vs. State of Punjab and others (2012) 10 SCC 303**, the instant petition is allowed and the aforesaid FIR and all consequent proceedings conducted on the basis thereof are quashed qua the petitioners.

Needless to say that parties shall remain bound by the terms of compromise and their statements made in the Court below.

**(ANITA CHAUDHRY)
JUDGE**

May 31, 2018
Gurpreet

Whether speaking/reasoned	:	Yes
Whether reportable	:	No