

**In The High Court for the States of Punjab and Haryana
At Chandigarh**

CRM-M-5031-2019 (O&M)

Date of Decision:- 13.5.2019

Ranjeet Singh and others

... Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and another

... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE GURVINDER SINGH GILL

Present:- Mr. Amit Arora, Advocate, for the petitioners.

Mr. Randhir Singh Thind, DAG, Punjab.

Mr. Parminder Singh Kanwar, Advocate, for respondent No.2.

GURVINDER SINGH GILL, J. (Oral)

1. The present petition has been filed for quashing of FIR No.157, dated 13.12.2018, registered at Police Station Sirhali, District Tarn Taran, under Sections 420 and 120-B IPC, and proceedings emanating therefrom on the basis of a compromise having been effected between the parties.
2. Vide order dated 4.2.2019 the parties had been directed to appear before the trial Court/Illaqa Magistrate so as to get the statements recorded.

3. Report of learned Judicial Magistrate 1st Class, Tarn Taran, has been received wherein it has been reported that statement of complainant Baljinder Kaur as well as of petitioners/accused Ranjeet Singh, Manjeet Singh and Balwinder Singh, have been recorded to the effect that they have entered into a compromise with the intervention of respectables. The complainant has specifically stated that the matter has been compromised and she does not want to pursue with the matter. Learned Judicial Magistrate 1st Class, Tarn Taran, opined that the compromise is genuine, voluntary and without any coercion or undue influence.
4. In view of the aforesaid report and bearing in mind the law laid down by Full Bench of this Court in 2007(3) RCR (Crl.) 1052 Kulwinder Singh and others Vs. State of Punjab, the petition is allowed and FIR No.157, dated 13.12.2018, registered at Police Station Sirhali, District Tarn Taran, under Sections 420 and 120-B IPC, and all the consequent proceedings arising therefrom are hereby quashed qua the petitioners.

May 13, 2019
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(GURVINDER SINGH GILL)
JUDGE

Whether speaking /reasoned	Yes / No
Whether Reportable	Yes / No