

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

CRL. MISC. No.M-11553 OF 2018 (O&M)
DATE OF DECISION : 8th MARCH, 2019

Ranvir Singh

.... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab & another

.... Respondents

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE A. B. CHAUDHARI

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Present : Mr. Rajni Maurya, Advocate for
 Mr. Naveen Batra, Advocate the petitioner.

Mr. H. S. Sullar, Deputy Advocate General, Punjab.

Ms. Amandeep Kaur, Advocate for respondent No.2.

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A. B. CHAUDHARI, J. (ORAL)

This is petition filed by the petitioner-accused under Section 482 Cr.P.C. for quashing of complaint No.06/29.05.2014 titled as Sukhwinder Singh Versus Balbir Singh and others registered under Sections 447, 506 IPC and 3(x) of SC and ST Act pending in the Court of learned JMIC, Garhshankar, District Hoshiarpur.

Heard learned counsel for the rival parties.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the complaint case No.06/29.05.2014 is liable to be quashed on merits. She also made a reference to order dated 06.07.2017 passed by this Court allowing the compounding in respect of two other co-accused. There are only four accused. She again submits that on merits there is no case and therefore, the complaint should be quashed.

In my opinion, since the offences are under Sections 447 and 506 IPC & Section 3(x) of SC and ST Act, the evidence is required to be completed and the offences cannot be compounded till the trial is held.

In that view of the matter, the petition is dismissed.

8TH MARCH, 2019
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(A. B. CHAUDHARI)
JUDGE