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

CRM-M-20549-2018 (O&M)
Date of Decision:-15.3.2019

Arjun Sharma … Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and another ... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE GURVINDER SINGH GILL

Present:- Mr. Inderjit Sharma, Advocate for the petitioner.

Ms. Rashmi Attri, Assistant Advocate General, Punjab.

Mr. M.K. Bhatnagar, Advocate for respondent No.2.

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GURVINDER SINGH GILL, J.(Oral)

By way of filing this petition, the petitioner seeks quashing of FIR No.201 dated 24.11.2017 registered under Sections 406, 420, 421 and 425 of Indian Penal Code, 1860 at Police Station Nehianwala, District Bathinda and all consequential proceedings emanating therefrom on the basis of a compromise having been effected between the parties.

Vide order dated 4.10.2018, the parties had been directed to appear before the trial Court so as to get their statements recorded qua the factum of compromise.

Report of learned Judicial Magistrate 1st Class, Bathinda has been received, wherein it has been reported that statements of petitioner/accused Arjun Sharma and also of complainant Hemant Arora

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have been recorded to the effect that they have compromised the matter amongst themselves and they have no objection in case the FIR is quashed.

The learned Judicial Magistrate 1st Class, Bathinda has specifically opined that the parties have entered into compromise voluntarily without there being any pressure, coercion or undue influence.

In view of the aforesaid compromise 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 present petition is allowed and FIR No.201 dated 24.11.2017 registered under Sections 406, 420, 421 and 425 of Indian Penal Code, 1860 at Police Station Nehianwala, District Bathinda and all the consequent proceedings arising therefrom are hereby quashed qua the petitioner.

15.3.2019 **(Gurvinder Singh Gill)**
pankaj **Judge**

Whether reasoned/speaking Yes / No

Whether reportable Yes / No

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