

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

CRM M-45245 of 2018

Date of Decision: May 15, 2019

Bal Kishan and others

.....Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and another

.... Respondents

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE FATEH DEEP SINGH

Present:- Petitioners in person with
Mr. Monty Goyal, Advocate.

Mr. Rakeshinder Singh Sidhu, AAG, Punjab.

Respondent No.2 in person with
Mr. J.S. Thakur, Advocate.

FATEH DEEP SINGH, J. (Oral)

Report dated 13.03.2019 of learned Judicial Magistrate 1st

Class Ludhiana has been received whereby after recording statements of respondent/complainant-Sarita Rani and accused/petitioners, namely, Bal Kishan, Jagmal, Hari Kishan and Kiran @ Suna, the Court has shown its satisfaction that the compromise has been arrived at voluntarily, out of their own free will, without any undue influence, coercion or pressure.

Moreover, during the course of interaction with the parties, they have vouched for the settlement that has been arrived at between them and prayed that the matter be quashed on the basis of compromise/settlement (Annexure P-2) and shall abide by the

same.

Heard.

In the light of joint statement made by the parties and together with the fact that the dispute between the parties being a pure matrimonial and the offence for which the accused has been hauled up are not of serious nature, together with the fact that compromise will go a long way in ironing out differences for betterment of future life of the parties and in view of the law laid down in '**Gian Singh Vs. State of Punjab and another**' 2012 (4) RCR (Criminal) 543 and '**Kulwinder Singh and others Vs. State of Punjab and another**' 2007 (3) RCR (Criminal) 1052, the prayer made in the petition is allowed, proceedings by way of FIR No. 91 dated 16.10.2012 under Sections 406 and 498-A IPC registered at Police Station Women, District Ludhiana and all consequences arising out of the said FIR qua the petitioners are quashed.

The petition stands allowed in those terms.

May 15, 2019.
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(FATEH DEEP SINGH)
JUDGE

Whether reasoned/speaking : Yes/No

Whether reportable : Yes/No