

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH

Criminal Misc. No. M-53388 of 2018 (O&M)
Date of decision : October 30, 2019

Baljinder Singh

....Petitioner

versus

State of Punjab and another

....Respondents

Coram: Hon'ble Mr. Justice Fateh Deep Singh

Present : Mr. DPS Bajwa, Advocate, for the petitioner
Petitioner in person

Mr. Pawan Sharda, Sr. DAG Punjab for the State/
respondent no. 1

Mr. Sonu Gill, Advocate for
Mr. Rajesh Nain, Advocate, for respondent no. 2

Fateh Deep Singh, J. (Oral)

Report dated 3.6.2019 of learned Judicial Magistrate Ist Class, Ludhiana has been received after recording statements of accused Baljinder Singh as well as complainant Gurjot Kaur and the learned court has shown its satisfaction that the compromise is an outcome of voluntariness, free will and without any coercion or undue pressure. In the light of the satisfaction shown by the Court and in view of the fact that it is a pure matrimonial dispute and

compromise will go a long way in ironing out the differences and for betterment of their future life and more-so the offences for which the accused have been booked are not of very serious nature 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** and in view of which the prayer made in the petition is allowed, proceedings by way of FIR No. 52 dated 20.6.2017 registered at Police Station Women, Ludhiana under sections 406, 498-A IPC and all consequences arising thereof are quashed, qua the present petitioner.

The petition stands allowed in those terms.

October 30, 2019

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**(Fateh Deep Singh)
Judge**

Whether speaking/reasoned ?

Yes/No

Whether Reportable ?

Yes/No