

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

CRM-M-37838-2018 (O&M)

Date of Decision:- 3.3.2020

Jaspal Singh

... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others

... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE GURVINDER SINGH GILL

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

Mr. Randhir Singh Thind, DAG, Punjab.

GURVINDER SINGH GILL, J. (Oral)

1. The petitioner has approached this Court seeking quashing of FIR No.51, dated 18.3.2017, Police Station Dakha, District Ludhiana, under Sections 406 and 420 of Indian Penal Code, 1860 and all subsequent proceedings emanating therefrom on the basis of a compromise effected between the parties.
2. Vide order dated 13.11.2019, the parties had been directed to appear before the trial Court so as to get their statements recorded qua the factum of compromise.
3. Report of learned Judicial Magistrate 1st Class, Ludhiana, has been received, wherein it has been reported that statements of petitioner/accused Jaspal Singh and also of complainant Inderpal

Singh have been recorded to the effect that they have compromised the matter amongst themselves.

4. The complainant in his statement has specifically stated that he has no objection in case the FIR in question is quashed.
5. The learned Judicial Magistrate 1st Class, Ludhiana, has specifically opined that the parties have entered into compromise voluntarily without there being any pressure, coercion or undue influence.
6. 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.51, dated 18.3.2017, Police Station Dakha, District Ludhiana, under Sections 406 and 420 of Indian Penal Code, 1860 and all subsequent proceedings emanating therefrom are hereby quashed qua the petitioner.

March 3, 2020

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**(GURVINDER SINGH GILL)
JUDGE**

Whether speaking /reasoned

Yes / No

Whether Reportable

Yes / No