

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

CRM-M-20236-2019 (O&M)

Date of Decision:- 14.1.2020

Veerpal Kaur

... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and another

... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE GURVINDER SINGH GILL

Present:- Mr. Kuldeep Singh Siwach, Advocate, for
Mr. P.S.Dhaliwal, Advocate, for the petitioner.

Ms. Rashmi Attri, AAG, Punjab.

Mr. Sandeep Siwach, Advocate, for respondent No.2.

GURVINDER SINGH GILL, J. (Oral)

1. The petitioner has approached this Court seeking quashing of calandra No.COM1/89/2017 under Section 182 of IPC, registered at Police Station City Barnala, District Barnala, and all subsequent proceedings emanating therefrom on the basis of a compromise effected between the parties.
2. It is in fact a case which has arisen out of matrimonial discord between petitioner-Veerpal Kaur and her husband i.e. respondent No.2-Inderjit Singh. It has been informed by learned counsel for the parties that the parties have amicably resolved their issues and in fact they have filed a petition under Section 13-B of Hindu Marriage Act

and that respondent No.2 has no objection for quashing of the proceedings arisen out of calandra No.COM1/89/2017.

3. In view of the aforestated position, particularly bearing in mind that it is a case where the matrimonial discord amongst the parties stands resolved by way of compromise and in fact a petition under Section 13-B of Hindu Marriage Act has also been filed, this Court is of the opinion that forcing the petitioner to face prosecution on the basis of Calendra under Section 182 of IPC will not serve any useful purpose especially when parties have made efforts to resolve their issues and have chosen to part ways amicably. The petition, as such, is accepted and calandra No.COM1/89/2017, under Section 182 of IPC, registered at Police Station City Barnala, District Barnala, and all subsequent proceedings emanating therefrom are hereby quashed qua the petitioner.

January 14, 2020

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**(GURVINDER SINGH GILL)
JUDGE**

Whether speaking /reasoned

Yes / No

Whether Reportable

Yes / No