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IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CRM-M-26331-2020

Date of decision: 09.09.2020

Rattan Lal and others

.....Petitioner(s)

V/s.

State of Punjab and another

.....Respondent(s)

CORAM: - HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SANJAY KUMAR

Present: Mr. Kuldip Singh, Advocate for the petitioners.

Mr. Gaurav Garg Dhuriwala, Senior Deputy Advocate
General, Punjab.

Mr. Rajinder Singh Kantiwal, Advocate, for respondent No.2.

Sanjay Kumar, J.

The three petitioners figure as the accused in FIR No.0018 dated 10.02.2020 on the file of Police Station Sadar Abohar, District Fazilka, registered under Sections 452, 427, 323 and 34 IPC. By way of this petition filed under Section 482 Cr.P.C, they seek quashing of the said FIR.

The petitioners claim to have compromised the matter with the complainant, the second respondent herein.

Mr. Rajinder Singh Kantiwal, learned counsel, entered appearance for the complainant and filed his power of attorney. He confirms that the matter has been amicably settled and that the second respondent does not wish to pursue criminal proceedings against the petitioners.

Mr. Gaurav Garg Dhuriwala, learned Senior Deputy Advocate General, Punjab, would state that no other cases are registered against the petitioners and they have no known criminal antecedents.

Given the aforestated circumstances, as the fate of the case stands sealed by the settlement arrived at by and between the parties, there is no purpose served in the State wasting its resources in carrying it forward to its inevitable and futile conclusion.

The petition is accordingly allowed. FIR No.0018 dated 10.02.2020 on the file of Police Station Sadar Abohar, District Fazilka, and all proceedings relating thereto are accordingly quashed.

(SANJAY KUMAR)
JUDGE

09.09.2020

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Yes/no

whether reportable/non reportable

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Yes/no