

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

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**CRM-M-26808-2020
DATE OF DECISION: 02.12.2020**

RAJESH KUMAR AND OTHERS

... Petitioner(s)

Versus

STATE OF HARYANA AND ANOTHER

... Respondent(s)

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL

Present: Mr. Gourav Jain, Advocate for the petitioner.
Mr. Chetan Sharma, AAG, Haryana.
Mr. A.K. Khunger, Advocate for respondent No.2.

ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL, J. (ORAL)

Heard through video conferencing.

The petitioners are seeking quashing of FIR No.279 dated 01.06.2019 under Sections 147, 149, 323, 341 and 452 IPC, registered at Police Station City Fatehabad, District Fatehabad and all subsequent proceedings on the basis of compromise which has been arrived at between the parties.

Learned counsel for the petitioners contends that the FIR is the outcome of a sudden quarrel between the parties, in which simple injuries were caused and the matter has been compromised.

A coordinate Bench of this Court vide order dated 09.09.2020 had directed the parties to appear before the Illaqa Magistrate/trial Court for recording their statements and send a report as to whether the compromise has

been arrived at without any coercion or undue influence. The report of the Chief Judicial Magistrate, Fatehabad dated 19.10.2020 has been received, wherein it is stated that in pursuance to the order of this Court, the statements of the parties were recorded which indicates that compromise which has been effected is genuine, voluntary and without undue influence.

The FIR is an outcome of a sudden quarrel between the parties and the matter has been compromised.

In view of the law laid down by the Supreme Court in the case of Narinder Singh vs. State of Punjab 2014 (6) SCC 466, no useful purpose will be served by continuing the criminal proceedings. Therefore, the petition is allowed and the FIR No.279 dated 01.06.2019 under Sections 147, 149, 323, 341 and 452 IPC, registered at Police Station City Fatehabad, District Fatheabad and all consequential proceedings are hereby quashed qua the petitioners.

(ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL)
JUDGE

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Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes / No

Whether reportable : Yes / No