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IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CRM-M-30511-2020 (O&M)
Date of decision: 30.09.2020

Sukhjot Singh Grewal

..... Petitioner

V/s.

State of Punjab and another

..... Respondents

CORAM: - HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SANJAY KUMAR

Present: Ms. Shivya Sehgal, Advocate for the petitioners.

Mr. Gaurav Garg Dhuriwala, Senior DAG, Punjab.

Ms. Urvashi Singh, Advocate, for respondent No.2.

Sanjay Kumar, J.

CRM-24449-2020

Exemption granted as prayer for.

Annexures P-1 and P-2 are taken on record.

The application is ordered accordingly.

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The petitioner is the sole accused in FIR No.0114 dated 26.08.2020 on the file of Police Station City Jagraon, District Ludhiana Rural, registered under Sections 406 and 420 IPC. By way of this petition filed under Section 482 Cr.P.C, he seeks quashing of the said FIR.

The case of the complainant, the second respondent herein, was that the petitioner obtained monies from him on the pretext of sending him abroad but he failed to do so.

However, the petitioner claims that he thereafter settled the matter with the complainant and compromise deed dated 29.06.2019 was executed. It is on the strength of this compromise that he seeks relief presently.

The compromise deed dated 29.06.2019 records that the sum of ₹ 3,00,000/-, taken from the complainant, was returned by the petitioner in the presence of the witnesses.

Ms. Urvashi Singh learned counsel, entered appearance for the second respondent-complainant and filed her power of attorney. She affirms the factum of the compromise and states that her client has no objection to the subject FIR being quashed.

Given the aforesaid circumstances, as the fate of the case stands sealed by the settlement arrived at by and between the parties, there would be no purpose served in the State wasting its time and resources in carrying it forward to its inevitable and futile conclusion. It would therefore be apposite to give a quietus to the issue at this stage.

The petition is allowed. FIR No.0114 dated 26.08.2020 on the file of Police Station City Jagraon, District Ludhiana Rural, and all proceedings relating thereto are accordingly quashed.

(SANJAY KUMAR)
JUDGE

30.09.2020

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whether speaking/non speaking

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Yes/no

whether reportable/non reportable

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Yes/no