

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

CRM-M No.41852 of 2019 (O&M)

Date of Decision : 25.11.2020

Inderbir Singh alias Inderveer Singh alias Judge

.....Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others

.....Respondents

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SUDIP AHLUWALIA

Present : Mr. Gurveer S. Sidhu, Advocate
for the Petitioner.

Mr. Bhupender Beniwal, Asstt. Advocate General, Punjab
for Respondent No.1/State.

Mr. C.S. Jattana, Advocate
for Respondents No.2 and 3.

SUDIP AHLUWALIA, J. (ORAL)

In this Petition, the Petitioner, who is the accused in F.I.R No.0007, dated 12.08.2019, under Sections 420, 465, 467, 468, 471, 406, 419 of the Indian Penal Code, 1860 (for short, 'the IPC') registered at Police Station Airport, District S.A.S. Nagar Mohali (Annexure P-1), has prayed for quashing of F.I.R. with all subsequent proceedings pending therefrom, on the basis of compromise.

2. Now the Complainant/Respondents No.2 and 3 have arrived at a settlement with the accused vide Compromise Affidavits (Annexure P-2), which are duly signed by them. The matter was referred to the Court below for recording of statements of the parties and to report with respect to

genuineness of the compromise arrived at between the parties. The Ld. Chief Judicial Magistrate, Mohali, vide report dated 13.10.2020 has apprised this Court that the compromise arrived at between the parties is genuine and without any pressure.

3. Respondents No. 2 and 3 are represented by their counsel who does not dispute the factum of compromise.

4. In view of the report of the Ld. Chief Judicial Magistrate, Mohali, and in view of the decision of the Hon'ble Supreme Court in “Gian Singh Vs. State of Punjab and another”, 2012(4) RCR (Criminal) 543 and “Narinder Singh and Others Vs. State of Punjab and Another”, (2014) 6 SCC 466, this Court is of the opinion that no useful purpose can be served by keeping with the criminal proceedings pending, since the Respondent No.2 and 3 have themselves compromised the dispute with the Petitioner/accused.

5. In the circumstances, the present petition is allowed. F.I.R No.0007, dated 12.08.2019, under Sections 420, 465, 467, 468, 471, 406, 419 of the IPC registered at Police Station Airport, District S.A.S. Nagar Mohali (Annexure P-1), and all consequential proceedings arising therefrom, are hereby quashed *qua* the Petitioner.

November 25, 2020

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(SUDIP AHLUWALIA)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned	:	Yes/No
Whether reportable	:	Yes/No