

CRM-M No.1075 of 2020
Date of Decision : 05.04.2021

Gurcharan Singh & othersPetitioners

Versus

State of Punjab & othersRespondents

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SUDIP AHLUWALIA

Present : Mr. Surinder Garg, Advocate
for the petitioners.

Mr. B.S. Sewak, A.A.G, Punjab.

Mr. Mukesh Singla, Advocate
for respondent Nos.2 & 3.

SUDIP AHLUWALIA, J. (ORAL)

In this petition, the petitioners, who are the accused persons in F.I.R No.75 dated 04.12.2015, under Sections 325, 323, 148, 149 of IPC, registered at Police Station Balianwali, District Bathinda (Annexure P-1), have prayed for quashing of F.I.R. with all subsequent proceedings arising therefrom, on the basis of compromise.

2. On perusal of the Settlement Agreement dated 30.10.2019 (Annexure P-2), it transpires that the matter has been amicably compromised between the complainant along with his brother Pargat Singh with the present petitioners before the Mediator in the Mediation and Conciliation Centre of this Court.

3. Respondent Nos.2 & 3 are represented by their Counsel who does not dispute the factum of compromise.

4. In view of the Settlement Agreement dated 30.10.2019 (Annexure P-2), and 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 Nos.2 & 3 have themselves compromised the dispute with the accused persons.

5. In the circumstances, the present petition is allowed. F.I.R No.75 dated 04.12.2015, under Sections 325, 323, 148, 149 of IPC, registered at Police Station Balianwali, District Bathinda (Annexure P-1), and all consequential proceedings arising therefrom, are hereby quashed *qua* the present petitioners.

05.04.2021
Jitesh (JTS)

(SUDIP AHLUWALIA)
JUDGE

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