

In the High Court of Punjab and Haryana at Chandigarh

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**CRM-M-2621-2021 (O & M)
Date of Decision: February 24, 2021**

JAGBIR SINGH AND OTHERS

.....PETITIONERS

VERSUS

STATE OF PUNJAB AND ANOTHER

....RESPONDENTS

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL

Present: Mr.Kanwar Pahul Singh, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Dhruv Dayal, Senior DAG, Punjab.

Ms. Navneet Kaur, Advocate for respondent No.2/complainant.

ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL, J (ORAL)

Heard through video conferencing.

The petitioners are seeking quashing of FIR No.368 dated 25.11.2020, under Sections 323, 324, 452, 148, 149 IPC registered at Police Station Ajnala, District Amritsar Rural, on the basis of compromise dated 29.12.2020 (Annexure P-3), which has been arrived at between the parties.

Learned counsel for the petitioners contends that the FIR is an outcome of a sudden quarrel between the close relatives in which simple injuries were caused. Petitioner No.1 is the brother of the complainant/respondent No.2. He also contends that with the intervention of the respectables, the dispute has now been resolved and the matter has been compromised. He has referred to the copy of the compromise at Annexure P-3.

This Court by the order dated 19.01.2021 had directed the parties

to appear before the trial Court to record the statements of the parties with

regard to genuineness of the compromise and send a report to this Court. The report of Sub Divisional Judicial Magistrate, Ajnala dated 08.02.2021 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 the compromise is genuine and without any coercion or undue influence.

The FIR is an outcome of a sudden quarrel between the close relatives in which simple injuries were caused. The matter has been compromised.

In view of the mandate of the Hon'ble Supreme Court in the case of *Narinder Singh and others Vs. State of Punjab and another, (2014) 6 SCC 466*, no useful purpose will be served by continuing the criminal proceedings. Therefore, the petition is allowed and FIR No.368 dated 25.11.2020, under Sections 323, 324, 452, 148, 149 IPC registered at Police Station Ajnala, District Amritsar Rural and all subsequent proceedings arising therefrom, are hereby quashed qua the petitioner(s).

(ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL)
JUDGE

February 24, 2021
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Whether speaking/ reasoned	:	Yes/No
Whether Reportable	:	Yes/No