

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

CRM-M-5136 of 2021 (O&M)

Date of Decision: 14.09.2021

Somnath and Ors.

.....Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and Ors.

.....Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARINDER SINGH SIDHU

Present: Mr. Vinay Kumar, Advocate for the petitioners.

Mr. Sarabjit Singh, AAG, Punjab.

Mr. Ajaypal Singh, Advocate for the complainant.

HARINDER SINGH SIDHU, J

CrI.M.No.29084 of 2021

Prayer is for preponing the date of hearing.

Notice of the application.

Sh. Sarabjit Singh, AAG, Punjab accepts notice on behalf of
respondent-State of Punjab.

Heard.

For the reasons recorded in the application, which is supported
by an affidavit, the same is allowed and the matter is taken up for hearing
today itself.

Main case

Petitioners have filed this petition under Section 482 Cr.P.C. for
quashing of FIR No. 114 dated 09.08.2020 under Sections
457,324,323,148,149 IPC (Section 452 IPC added later on) registered at P.S
Qila Lal Singh, District Batala and all other consequential proceedings arising
out of the said FIR, as the matter stands amicably settled in terms of
compromise deed.

Vide order dated 25.02.2021, the parties were directed to appear before the trial Court/Area Magistrate on 09.03.2021 for getting their statements recorded with regard to the compromise. The trial Court was to send its report regarding the genuineness of the compromise.

A report dated 18.03.2021 of learned Judicial Magistrate, Ist Class, Batala has been received. As per the report, the parties had appeared before learned Magistrate and got recorded their statements regarding compromise. Learned Magistrate has stated that he is of the considered view that the compromise between the parties is valid, genuine, voluntary and without any coercion or undue influence.

In view thereof, the present petition is allowed. FIR No. 114 dated 09.08.2020 under Sections 457,324,323,148,149 IPC (Section 452 IPC added later on) registered at P.S Qila Lal Singh, District Batala along with all subsequent proceedings arising therefrom, are hereby quashed qua the petitioners.

September 14, 2021
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(Harinder Singh Sidhu)
Judge

Whether speaking/reasoned: Yes/No
Whether Reportable: Yes/No