

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH.**

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**CRM-M-33542-2021
Date of decision : 07.10.2021**

MOHIT TANEJA AND ORS.

.....Petitioners

Versus

STATE OF HARYANA AND ANOTHER

.....Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SANT PARKASH

Present : Mr. Ruhani Chadha, Advocate
for the petitioners.

Ms. Tanushree Gupta, DAG, Haryana
for respondent No. 1-State.

Ms. Aarti Kaur, Advocate
for Mr. Rahul Bhargawa, Advocate
for respondent No. 2

SANT PARKASH, J. (ORAL)

Prayer in this petition under Section 482 of the the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973 is for quashing of FIR No.101 dated 25.03.2019 registered under Sections 406, 498-A, 323, 34 and 506 of the Indian Penal Code, 1860 (for short 'the IPC') in Police Station Hisar City, District Hisar with all consequential proceedings arising therefrom in view of the compromise (Annexure P-3) arrived at between the parties.

The above said FIR was registered on complaint made by respondent No. 2-Leena. In the complainant, respondent No. 2 alleged that her marriage was solemnized with Mohit Taneja on 29.04.2018 in accordance with Hindu rites and ceremonies. The accused persons made dowry demands on various occasions as mentioned in the

demands and criminally misappropriated her dowry articles. On 31.01.2019 all the accused persons manhandled respondent No. 2 in lieu of demand of dowry and she was thrown out of her matrimonial house.

Vide order dated 18.08.2021, Co-ordinate Bench of this Court directed the private parties to appear before the trial Court/Illaq Magistrate on 06.09.2021 for recording of their statements with regard to compromise/settlement and directed the Trial Court/Illaq Magistrate to submit a report regarding the genuineness and voluntary nature of the compromise.

In compliance with the above said order, learned Chief Judicial Magistrate, Hisar has recorded the statements of both the parties and submitted report vide letter No. 822 dated 08.09.2021, duly forwarded by the learned District and Sessions Judge, Hisar vide letter No. 16898 dated 09.09.2021.

A perusal of the report of learned Chief Judicial Magistrate, Hisar clearly reveals that the matter has been compromised by the parties with their free consent, voluntarily and without any coercion or undue influence.

I have heard learned Counsel for the parties and gone through the case file.

Learned State Counsel has no objection in case the FIR along with all subsequent proceedings arising therefrom is quashed on the basis of compromise effected between the parties.

The offences involved in the present case are overwhelmingly and predominantly of private character. The parties

have resolved their entire dispute. The compromise will also contribute to peace and harmony in the society. In view of the above, the petition is allowed and FIR No.101 dated 25.03.2019 registered under Sections 406, 498-A, 323, 34 and 506 of the IPC in Police Station Hisar City, District Hisar is quashed with all consequential proceedings arising therefrom.

07.10.2021

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**(SANT PARKASH)
JUDGE**

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