

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

CRM-M-31926-2020 (O&M)

Date of Decision: 10.03.2021

Nagina Begum & others

...Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab & another

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE GURVINDER SINGH GILL

Present: Mr. Ranjan Lakhanpal, Advocate, for the petitioners.

Mr. Ajay Pal Singh Gill, DAG, Punjab.

(proceedings conducted through video conferencing)

GURVINDER SINGH GILL, J. (Oral)

1. The petitioners have approached this Court seeking quashing of FIR No.0071 dated 08.05.2018 registered against them at Police Station Canal Colony, District Bathinda, under Sections 454/380 IPC and all subsequent proceedings emanating therefrom on the basis of a compromise having been effected between the parties.
2. Vide order dated 12.11.2020, the parties had been directed to appear before the Illaqa Magistrate/trial Court so as to get their statements recorded qua the factum of compromise.
3. Report of learned Additional Chief Judicial Magistrate, Bathinda, has been received, wherein it has been reported that the statements of accused/petitioners Nagina Begum, Gulfam Khan and Adil Khan and also of complainant Chiragdin Malik have been

recorded to the effect that they have compromised the matter amongst themselves.

4. The complainant Chiragdin Malik in his statement has stated that he has no objection in case the FIR in question is quashed.
5. The learned Additional Chief Judicial Magistrate, Bathinda has specifically opined that the parties have entered into compromise voluntarily without there being any pressure, coercion and undue influence.
6. In view of the aforesaid compromise and bearing in mind the law laid down by Full Bench of this Court in 2007(3) RCR (Crl.) 1052 Kulwinder Singh and others Vs. State of Punjab, the present petition is allowed and FIR No.0071 dated 08.05.2018 registered at Police Station Canal Colony, District Bathinda, under Sections 454/380 IPC and all subsequent proceedings emanating therefrom are hereby quashed qua petitioners.

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(GURVINDER SINGH GILL)
JUDGE

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