

CRM-M-34580-2020

Date of Decision: 07.01.2021

Vinay Kumar Thakur

.....Petitioner

Vs.

State of Punjab and others

.....Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE AMOL RATTAN SINGH

Present: Mr. Harjot Singh Bedi, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

Mr. Bhupinder Beniwal, A.A.G., Punjab.

AMOL RATTAN SINGH, J. (ORAL)

Case heard by video conferencing.

By this petition, the petitioner seeks quashing, on the basis of a compromise arrived at between him and respondent no. 2, of FIR no. 120 dated 13.06.2018, registered at Police Station Sarabha Nagar, District Ludhiana, for the alleged commission of offences punishable under Sections 346/363/366 of the IPC (with Section 346 of the IPC having been subsequently deleted), as also all other subsequent proceedings arising therefrom. A copy of the compromise deed has been annexed as Annexure P-2 with the petition.

Pursuant to the order dated 30.10.2020, a report of the learned Chief Judicial Magistrate, Ludhiana, dated 01.12.2020, has been received, stating there that respondent no. 2, Hemant Kumar, i.e. the complainant in the FIR, as also respondent no. 3, appeared before that court on 17.11.2020, with their statements recorded to the effect that the matter has been compromised between them and the petitioner; and as per the assessment of that court, the compromise has been entered into of the free will of the parties without any pressure or coercion.

A reply dated 31.10.2020, filed by the ACP (West), Ludhiana, is also on record, stating to the effect that there is no other criminal case registered against the petitioner (though the affidavit further gives the basic facts of the complaint registered).

That being so, also looking at the nature of offences involved, with the matter having been amicably settled between the parties, the petition is allowed and FIR No. 120 dated 13.06.2018, registered at Police Station Sarabha Nagar, District Ludhiana, for the alleged commission of offences punishable under Sections 346/363/366 of the IPC (with Section 346 of the IPC having been deleted), along with all proceedings emanating therefrom, is hereby quashed.

January 07, 2021
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Whether speaking/reasoned
Whether Reportable

(AMOL RATTAN SINGH)
JUDGE
Yes
No.