

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

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CRM-M-40159-2021

Date of decision : 10.11.2021.

Pawan Kumar and others

... Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and others

.. Respondents

CORAM :HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL

Present:- Mr. Jaspreet Singh Sran, Advocate for the petitioners.

Mr. Rakesh Inder Singh Sidhu, AAG, Punjab.

Mr. Fatehjeet Singh, Advocate for respondents No.2 and 3

Anupinder Singh Grewal, J. (Oral)

The petitioners are seeking quashing of General Diary No.61 dated 29.08.2019, under Sections 323, 425, 148, 149 IPC in FIR No.110 dated 28.08.2019, under Sections 323, 324, 452, 34 IPC registered at Police Station Division No.7, District Jalandhar, on the basis of compromise dated 07.04.2021 (Annexure P-2), which has been arrived at between the parties.

Learned counsel for the petitioners contends that it is a case of version and cross-version in which simple injuries were received by both the sides. He also contends that with the intervention of the respectables, the matter has been compromised. He has referred to the copy of the compromise at Annexure P-2.

Learned counsel for respondents No.2 and 3 states that the matter has indeed been compromised.

This Court vide order dated 28.09.2021 had directed the parties to appear before the Illaqa Magistrate/trial Court for recording their statements

and send a report as to whether the compromise has been arrived at without any coercion or undue influence. The report of the Chief Judicial Magistrate, Jalandhar dated 02.11.2021 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 compromise which has been effected is genuine, voluntary and without undue influence.

It is a case of version and cross-version in which simple injuries were received by both the sides. With the intervention of the respectables, the matter has been compromised. In view of the law laid down by the Supreme Court in the case of **Narinder Singh vs. State of Punjab 2014 (6) SCC 466**, no useful purpose will be served by continuing the criminal proceedings. Therefore, the petition is allowed and General Diary No.61 dated 29.08.2019, under Sections 323, 425, 148, 149 IPC in FIR No.110 dated 28.08.2019, under Sections 323, 324, 452, 34 IPC registered at Police Station Division No.7, District Jalandhar and all subsequent proceedings arising therefrom are hereby quashed qua the petitioners.

(ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL)
JUDGE

November 10, 2021

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