

**In the High Court for the States of Punjab and Haryana
At Chandigarh**

CRM-M-38040-2020 (O&M)
Date of Decision:-10.3.2021

Sajjad Raja @ Raju

... Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana and another

... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE GURVINDER SINGH GILL

Present:- Mr. Rajinder Goyal, Advocate for the petitioner.

Ms. Sheenu Sura, DAG, Haryana,
assisted by ASI Rajan.

Mr. G.S. Sandhu, Advocate for the complainant.

(proceedings conducted through video conferencing)

GURVINDER SINGH GILL, J.(Oral)

1. The petitioner has approached this Court seeking quashing of FIR No.420 dated 27.6.2020 registered at Police Station Karnal Sadar, District Karnal under Sections 406 and 420 of Indian Penal Code and Section 24 of Immigration Act, wherein offences under Sections 120-B, 370 and 384 IPC were added later on, and all subsequent proceedings emanating therefrom on the basis of a compromise effected between the parties.
2. Vide order dated 18.11.2020, the parties had been directed to appear before the Illaqa Magistrate/Duty Magistrate so as to get their statements recorded qua the factum of compromise.

3. Report of learned Additional Chief Judicial Magistrate, Karnal has been received, wherein it has been reported that the statements of petitioner/accused Sajjad Raja @ Raju and also of complainant Guljar have been recorded to the effect that they have compromised the matter amongst themselves.
4. The complainant Guljar 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, Karnal has specifically opined that the parties have entered into compromise voluntarily without there being any pressure, coercion or 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.420 dated 27.6.2020 registered at Police Station Karnal Sadar, District Karnal under Sections 406 and 420 of Indian Penal Code and Section 24 of Immigration Act, wherein offences under Sections 120-B, 370 and 384 IPC were added later on, and all subsequent proceedings emanating therefrom are hereby quashed qua petitioner.

10.3.2021

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**(Gurvinder Singh Gill)
Judge**

Whether reasoned/speaking

Yes / No

Whether reportable

Yes / No