

CRM-M No.39593 of 2020
Date of Decision : 05.04.2021

.....Petitioners

Versus

.....Respondents

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SUDIP AHLUWALIA

Present : Mr. K.B.S. Mann, Advocate
for the petitioners.

Mr. B.S. Sewak, Addl. A.G. Punjab.

Ms. Kuljinder Bir Kaur, Advocate
for respondent No.2.

SUDIP AHLUWALIA, J. (ORAL)

In this petition, the petitioners, who are the accused persons in F.I.R No.180 dated 07.07.2020, under Sections 341, 323, 506, 148, 149 of IPC, registered at Police Station Lambi, District Sri Muktsar Sahib (Annexure P-1), have prayed for quashing of F.I.R. with all subsequent proceedings arising therefrom, on the basis of compromise.

2. With the intervention of respectables and elderly people of the society, the complainant has arrived at a settlement with the accused persons vide Compromise Deed (Annexure P-2), which is duly signed by them. The matter was referred to the Court below for recording of statements of the parties and to report with respect to genuineness of the compromise arrived at between the parties. The Ld. Sub Divisional Judicial Magistrate, Malout, vide report dated 27.01.2021 has apprised this Court that the compromise

arrived at between the parties is genuine and without any pressure.

3. Respondent No.2 is represented by his Counsel who does not dispute the factum of compromise.

4. In view of the report of the Ld. Sub Divisional Judicial Magistrate, Malout, and in view of the decision of the Hon'ble Supreme Court in “Gian Singh Vs. State of Punjab and another”, 2012(4) RCR (Criminal) 543 and “Narinder Singh and Others Vs. State of Punjab and Another”, (2014) 6 SCC 466, this Court is of the opinion that no useful purpose can be served by keeping with the criminal proceedings pending, since the Respondent No.2 has himself compromised the dispute with the accused persons.

5. In the circumstances, the present petition is allowed. F.I.R No.180 dated 07.07.2020, under Sections 341, 323, 506, 148, 149 of IPC, registered at Police Station Lambi, District Sri Muktsar Sahib (Annexure P-1), and all consequential proceedings arising therefrom, are hereby quashed *qua* the present petitioners.

05.04.2021
Jitesh (JTS)

(SUDIP AHLUWALIA)
JUDGE

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