

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

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CRM-M-49189-2021

Date of decision : 10.12.2021

Kumesh Kumar and others

... Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and another

.. Respondent

CORAM :HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL

Present:- Mr. Harvinder Pal Singh Ghuman, Advocate for the petitioners.

Mrs. Amarjit Kaur Khurana, DAG, Punjab.

Mr. Naveen Kumar, Advocate for respondent No.2.

Anupinder Singh Grewal, J. (Oral)

Heard through video conferencing.

The petitioners are seeking quashing of FIR No.61 dated 27.06.2020, under Sections 307, 323, 324, 326, 506, 148, 149 IPC (Section 201 IPC added later on) registered at Police Station Doraha, District Khanna, on the basis of compromise dated 25.10.2021 (Annexure P-2), which has been arrived at between the parties.

Learned counsel for the petitioners contends that the FIR is outcome of a sudden quarrel between the residents of the same village. It is alleged that the accused had attributed blows with *dah*, wooden log and *kirpan* on the non-vital parts of the body. The injured has fully recovered from the injuries. 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 respondent No.2 states that the matter has indeed been compromised.

This Court vide order dated 25.11.2021 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 Additional Sessions Judge (Duty), Ludhiana dated 29.11.2021 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.

The FIR is outcome of a sudden quarrel between the residents of the same village. The injured has fully recovered from the injuries. 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 FIR No.61 dated 27.06.2020, under Sections 307, 323, 324, 326, 506, 148, 149 IPC (Section 201 IPC added later on) registered at Police Station Doraha, District Khanna and all subsequent proceedings arising therefrom are hereby quashed qua the petitioners.

(ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL)
JUDGE

December 10, 2021
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Whether speaking/reasoned	:	Yes/No
Whether Reportable	:	Yes/No