

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

CRM-M-51425-2019 (O&M)

Date of Decision: 12.11.2021

Chandni & another

...Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab & another

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE GURVINDER SINGH GILL

Present: Mr. Munish Khanngwal, Advocate, for the petitioners.

Mr. Ajay Pal Singh Gill, DAG, Punjab.

Mr. Shantanu Sharma, Advocate, for
Mr. Hoshiar Singh, Advocate, for respondent No.2.

GURVINDER SINGH GILL, J. (Oral)

1. The petitioners have approached this Court seeking quashing of FIR No.0120 dated 16.07.2019 registered against them at Police Station City Hoshiarpur, District Hoshiarpur, under Section 420 IPC and all subsequent proceedings emanating therefrom on the basis of a compromise having been effected between the parties.
2. Vide order dated 03.12.2019, the parties had been directed to appear before the Illaqa Magistrate/trial Court so as to get their statements recorded qua the factum of compromise.
3. Report of learned Chief Judicial Magistrate, Hoshiarpur, has been received, wherein it has been reported that the statements of accused/petitioners Chandni and Pushpa and also of complainant Pooja have been recorded to the effect that they have compromised the matter amongst themselves.

4. The complainant Pooja in her statement has stated that she has no objection in case the FIR in question is quashed.
5. The learned Chief Judicial Magistrate, Hoshiarpur, has specifically opined that the parties have entered into compromise voluntarily and out of free will.
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.0120 dated 16.07.2019 registered against them at Police Station City Hoshiarpur, District Hoshiarpur, under Section 420 IPC and all subsequent proceedings emanating therefrom are hereby quashed qua petitioners.

12.11.2021
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(GURVINDER SINGH GILL)
JUDGE

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