

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

**CRM-M-2688-2020 (O&M)
DECIDED ON: MARCH 31st, 2022**

AJIT SINGH AND OTHERS

.....PETITIONERS

VERSUS

STATE OF PUNJAB AND ANOTHER

.....RESPONDENTS

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SANDEEP MOUDGIL.

Present: Mr. Gagan Bajaj, Advocate
for the petitioners.

Mr. Ramdeep Partap Singh, DAG, Punjab.

Mr. G.S. Jossan, Advocate
for respondent No.2.

SANDEEP MOUDGIL, J (ORAL)

In this petition, the petitioners, who are the accused persons in FIR No.90, dated 26.11.2018, under Sections 452, 323,427,506,148 and 149 of the Indian Penal Code, 1860, registered at Police Station Harike, District Tarn Taran (Annexure P-1), have prayed for quashing of FIR with all subsequent proceedings arising therefrom, on the basis of compromise.

2. Now 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. Judicial Magistrate Ist Class, Patti

vide report dated 11.02.2020 has apprised this Court that the parties have compromise the matter without any pressure or coercion.

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. Judicial Magistrate Ist Class, Patti 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 complainant has himself compromised the dispute with the petitioners.

5. In the circumstances, the present petition is allowed. FIR No.90, dated 26.11.2018, under Sections 452, 323,427,506,148 and 149 of the Indian Penal Code, 1860, registered at Police Station Harike, District Tarn Taran (Annexure P-1), and all consequential proceedings arising therefrom, are hereby quashed *qua* the present petitioners.

(SANDEEP MOUDGIL)
JUDGE

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<i>Whether speaking/reasoned</i>	<i>Yes/No</i>
<i>Whether reportable</i>	<i>Yes/No</i>