

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

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CRM-M-8003 of 2022
Date of decision:24.02.2022

Ankit

... Petitioner

Vs.

State of Haryana and others

... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SUVIR SEHGAL

Present:- Mr. Jasdev Singh Thind, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Ms. Mahima Yashpal, DAG, Haryana.

Mr. Dinesh Bhardwaj, Advocate
for respondents No.2 and 3.

SUVIR SEHGAL, J. (Oral)

Heard through video conferencing.

Instant petition has been filed under Section 482 Cr.P.C seeking quashing of FIR No.0301 dated 13.10.2019 registered under Sections 354A, 354D, 506 of Indian Penal Code, 1860, however, Section 34 IPC and Section 12 of Protection of Children from Sexual Offences Act, 2012 have been added later on, at Police Station Lakhan Majra, District Rohtak alongwith all consequential proceedings arising therefrom, on the basis of compromise dated 06.02.2022 (Anneuxre P-2) arrived at between the parties.

As per the case of the prosecution, FIR (Annexure P-1) has been registered on the basis of complaint by mother of a minor girl on the allegation that whenever her daughter, who is a student of 12th class, goes to school, Ankit (present petitioner), misbehaves with her and attempts to molest her on finding her alone. He calls on her mobile phone and has even gone to the extent of threatening to kill her in case she does not talk to him. On 25.05.2019, he called her up and used abusive language.

Heard counsel for the parties.

Keeping in view the nature of allegations which pertain to sexual harassment of a minor girl and in view of the judgment of Hon'ble Supreme Court in **The State of Madhya Pradesh Vs. Laxmi Narayan and others (2019) 5 SCC 688**, the prayer cannot be entertained.

Petition is dismissed.

February 24, 2022
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(SUVIR SEHGAL)
JUDGE

Whether Speaking/Reasoned	Yes
Whether Reportable	Yes