

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

CRM-M-17614-2021 (O&M)

Date of Decision: 29.04.2022

Pooja & others

...Petitioners

Versus

State of Haryana & another

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE GURVINDER SINGH GILL

Present: Mr. Sukhdeep Singh, Advocate, for
Mr. Harshit Anand, Advocate, for the petitioners.

Mr. Rajiv Sidhu, DAG, Haryana.

Ms. Parul Chadha, Advocate, for respondent No.2.

GURVINDER SINGH GILL, J. (Oral)

1. The petitioners have approached this Court seeking quashing of FIR No.0082 dated 28.05.2020 registered at Police Station Nigdhu, Karnal, under Sections 24 of the Immigration Act and Sections 406/420 IPC (Sections 370/384 IPC added later on) and all subsequent proceedings emanating therefrom on the basis of a compromise having been effected between the parties.
2. Vide order dated 28.04.2021, 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 Judicial Magistrate Ist Class, Karnal, has been received, wherein it has been reported that the statements of accused/petitioners, namely, Pooja, Subhash and Sanjay as also of

complainant Rinkal Sharma have been recorded to the effect that they have compromised the matter amongst themselves.

4. The complainant Rinkal Sharma in his statement has stated that he has no objection in case the FIR in question is quashed.
5. The learned Judicial Magistrate Ist Class, Karnal has specifically opined that the parties have entered into compromise without there being any kind of influence or coercion.
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.0082 dated 28.05.2020 registered at Police Station Nigdhu, Karnal, under Sections 24 of the Immigration Act and Sections 406/420 IPC (Sections 370/384 IPC added later on) and all subsequent proceedings emanating therefrom are hereby quashed qua the petitioners.

29.04.2022
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(GURVINDER SINGH GILL)
JUDGE

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