

**BALJEET SINGH
VS
STATE OF HARYANA AND ANOTHER**

Present: Mr. Navmohit Singh, Advocate, for the petitioner.

Mr. Rajiv Sidhu, DAG, Haryana.

Mr. Dinesh Maurya, Advocate for
Mr. G.S.Sandhu, Advocate, for respondent No.2.

The petitioner seeks quashing of FIR No.420, dated 27.6.2020, Police Station Karnal Sadar, under Sections 406, 420 IPC and Section 24 of Immigration Act, wherein offences under Sections 370, 384 r/w 120 IPC were added later on, and all subsequent proceedings emanating therefrom on the basis of a compromise stated to have been effected between the parties.

Vide order dated 27.4.2021, the parties had been directed to appear before the trial Court/Illaq Magistrate so as to get their statements recorded qua the factum of compromise.

Report of learned Additional Sessions Judge, Karnal, has been received, wherein it has been reported that the statements of petitioner/accused Baljeet Singh and complainant Gulzar have been recorded to the effect that they have compromised the matter amongst themselves.

The complainant Gulzar in his statement had stated that he has no objection in case the FIR in question is quashed.

The learned Additional Sessions Judge, Karnal, has specifically opined that the parties have entered into compromise voluntarily without there being any pressure, coercion or undue influence.

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.420, dated 27.6.2020, Police Station Karnal Sadar,

under Sections 406, 420 IPC and Section 24 of Immigration Act, wherein offences under Sections 370, 384 r/w 120 IPC were added later on and all subsequent proceedings emanating therefrom are hereby quashed qua the petitioner.

Since the matter has been settled for an amount of Rs.10 lacs and which is stated to have been deposited by the petitioner before the Court of learned Civil Judge (Senior Division)-ACJM, Karnal, vide demand draft No.50122, dated 15.12.2020, the complainant i.e. respondent No.2 is entitled to receive the aforesaid amount of Rs.10 lacs. The complainant shall move an appropriate application in this regard before the Court concerned.

List again on 23.2.2023.

The Court concerned shall furnish information immediately when such amount is released to the complainant.

16.12.2022

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**(GURVINDER SINGH GILL)
JUDGE**