

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH

Sr. No. 277

CRM-M-20264-2019

Date of decision : 29.09.2022

Gurjant Singh

..... Petitioner

VERSUS

State of Punjab and others

..... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE DEEPAK SIBAL

Present: None for the petitioner.

Ms.Himani Arora, AAG, Punjab.

None for respondents No.2 and 3.

DEEPAK SIBAL, J. (ORAL)

Through the present petition filed under Section 482 Cr.P.C. the petitioner seeks quashing of FIR No.9 dated 12.02.2019 registered under Sections 376 and 511 IPC at Police Station Ghuman, Police District Batala, District Gurdaspur on the basis of a written compromise dated 20.04.2019 (Annexure P-2) entered into between the parties.

On 03.12.2019 this Court had directed the petitioner and respondents No.2 and 3 to appear before the Trial Court to get their statements recorded in support of the alleged compromise effected between them. However, respondent No.3 could not appear before the Trial Court and through order of this Court dated 14.02.2020 another opportunity was sought and got by the petitioner and respondents No.2 and 3 to get their statements recorded in support of the compromise. As per the report received from the Judicial Magistrate Ist Class, Batala, the parties again did not appear before the Trial Court.

In view of the above and for the reason that in the FIR in question the petitioner is accused of having committed rape which is a heinous offence, the relief prayed for in the present petition is rejected.

Dismissed.

29.09.2022

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[DEEPAK SIBAL]
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned

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Yes / No

Whether reportable

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Yes / No