

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH.**

CRM-M-24347-2022

Date of Decision:-17.10.2022

Palvinder Singh @ Palwinder Singh.

.....Petitioner.

Versus

State of Punjab & Ors.

.....Respondents.

CORAM:- HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JASJIT SINGH BEDI

Present:- Mr. Shakti Mehta, Advocate for the Petitioner.

Mr. Ravinder Singh, AAG Punjab.

Mr. Vipul Sachdeva, Advocate for respondent nos.2 & 3.

JASJIT SINGH BEDI, J.(ORAL)

The Prayer in this petition is for quashing of FIR No.0080 dated 07.06.2018 (Annexure P-1) under Sections 420, 465, 468, 471, 120-B IPC registered at Police Station Samana, (Sadar Samana) District Patiala and all consequential proceedings arising therefrom on the basis of compromise dated 24.05.2022 (Annexure P-2) arrived at between the parties.

Vide order dated 31.05.2022 this Court had directed the parties to appear before Illaqa Magistrate for getting their statements recorded in terms of certain parameters given in the aforesaid order dated 31.05.2022 with regard to the compromise dated 24.05.2022 (Annexure P-2).

In terms of the order dated 31.05.2022 passed by this Court parties have appeared before the court of Ms. Mamta Kakkar, Sub Divisional Judicial Magistrate, Samana and as per her report dated 2.9.2022 submitted to this Court, both the parties have got recorded their respective statements in Court.

Perusal of the aforesaid report would show that the parties have effected a genuine compromise without there being any pressure, coercion or undue influence. In view of the compromise there is a remote possibility of the complainant coming forward to support the prosecution case. The powers under Section 482 Cr.PC can be exercised in such like situation in order to prevent unnecessary vagaries of criminal trial to be faced by the parties, when there are remote chances of conviction of the accused. The compromise in question is found to be fully in consonance with the direction issued by the Court in ***Kulwinder Singh & Ors. Vs. State of Punjab 2007(3) RCR (Criminal) 1052*** and ***Gian Singh Vs. State of Punjab & Anr., 2012(4) RCR (Crl.) 543***.

In view of the aforesaid report of the learned Sub Divisional Judicial Magistrate, Samana accompanied by statements of both the parties, the FIR No.0080 dated 07.06.2018 (Annexure P-1) under Sections 420, 465, 468, 471, 120-B IPC registered at Police Station Samana, (Sadar Samana) District Patiala and all consequential proceedings arising therefrom are hereby quashed qua the petitioner.

Petition stands disposed of.

(JASJIT SINGH BEDI)
JUDGE

October 17, 2022
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<i>Whether speaking/reasoned</i>	<i>Yes/No</i>
<i>Whether reportable</i>	<i>Yes/No</i>