

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

CRM-M-30228-2022

Date of Decision:18.11.2022.

VIKRAM SINGH AND ORS.

....Petitioners

VS

STATE OF PUNJAB AND ANOTHER

....Respondents

CORAM:- HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE AMARJOT BHATTI

Present:- Mr. Manik Makkar, Advocate for the petitioners.

Mr. R.S. Khaira, DAG., Punjab.

AMARJOT BHATTI, J. (Oral)

The petitioners namely Vikram Singh, Ranjeet Kaur and Paramjeet Kaur have filed this petition under Section 482 Cr.P.C for quashing of FIR No.133 dated 28.10.2020 under Sections 323, 406, 498-A and 427 of IPC 1860 registered at Police Station P.S. Banur, District Patiala (Annexure P-1) alongwith all subsequent proceedings arising therefrom on the basis of compromise arrived at between the parties.

Brief facts of the case are that Jasveer Kaur gave her statement to Police that she got married with Vikram Singh in the year 2015. Out of this wedlock she has a daughter aged about 3 and ½ years. She was residing in the Farm house. Her husband Vikram was an autorickshaw driver and he was addicted to liquor. Her husband and in-laws family behaved properly for a period of 01 year but thereafter her husband started saying that he was getting proposals of beautiful girls. Her husband along with Ranjeet Kaur (mother-in-law), Paramjeet Kaur (sister-in-law) started torture her for bringing less dowry. Her husband has illicit relation with a girl namely Poonam resident of Himachal

Pradesh. She used to threatened her on phone and she was compelling her to leave her husband. On 24.08.2020, she enquired from her husband about the said girl but he gave her severe beating. He told her to leave the house. She was also pushed by Ranjeet Kaur (mother-in-law) and Paramjeet Kaur (sister-in-law). She was dragged on the floor and was slapped by her husband and gave kick blow to her and they threatened her to kill. She went to another house in the neighbourhood and called her cousin Sukhdev Singh who admitted her Civil Hospital, Rajpura. With these allegations, the present FIR has been registered.

Notice of this petition was given to the complainant-respondent No.2-Jasveer Kaur who confirmed the aforesaid compromise dated 06.06.2022. They were referred to appear before the trial Court/Illaq Court Magistrate for recording of their statements on the said compromise. The detailed report regarding compromise has been received dated 24.08.2022 from the Court of Judicial Magistrate Ist Class, Rajpura.

Learned counsel representing the State has not opposed the said compromise.

I have considered the arguments as well as the detailed compromise report received from the Court of learned Judicial Magistrate Ist Class, Rajpura. As per the statement of Jasveer Kaur-complainant the matter has been got compromised with the intervention of respectables of Society, the compromise is (Annexure P.1). She confirmed that this compromise has been effected without any pressure, coercion or undue influence. Similarly, statements of Vikram Singh, Ranjeet Kaur and Paramjeet Kaur petitioners No. 1 to 3 have been recorded who have also confirmed the aforesaid compromise effected between them with their free

consent.

Apart from this, learned counsel for the petitioners have placed on record copy of judgement dated 01.08.2022 in a decree of divorce under Section 13-B of Hindu Marriage Act vide which marriage between the Vikram Singh and Jasveer Kaur has been resolved with mutual consent.

The aforesaid facts clearly indicate that the matter has been resolved between the petitioners and respondent No.2 with the intervention of respectables. They have taken divorce by filing petition under Section 13-B of Hindu Marriage Act vide judgement dated 01.08.2022. All the disputes have been mutually settled.

Therefore, no purpose would be served with the continuation of criminal proceedings in the aforesaid FIR. With this compromise the parties, will start their life afresh and they will be able to live in peace and harmony.

In view of the aforesaid facts, the present petition filed by the petitioner is allowed and the FIR No.133 dated 28.10.2020 under Sections 323, 406, 498-A and 427 of IPC 1860 registered at Police Station P.S. Banur, District Patiala along with all subsequent proceedings arising out of the same are quashed qua the petitioners.

The petition stands disposed of accordingly.

18.11.2022

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(AMARJOT BHATTI)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned	Yes/No
Whether reportable	Yes/No