

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

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CRM-M-30643-2022

Date of decision : 19.12.2022

Kuldeep Singh

..... Petitioner

V/S

State of Haryana and Anr.

..... Respondents

CORAM : HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE AMARJOT BHATTI

Present: Mr. V.D.Sharma, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Ms. Deepshikha Chauhan, AAG, Haryana.

Mr. H.S.Sidhu, Advocate
for respondent No.2.

AMARJOT BHATTI J. (ORAL)

The petitioner-Kuldeep Singh has filed the instant petition under Section 482 of Cr.P.C. for quashing of FIR No.0071 dated 26.02.2020, registered under Sections 323, 34, 354, 406, 498-A, 506 IPC at Police Station Meham, District Rohtak and all other subsequent proceedings on the basis of compromise between the parties (Annexure P-2) .

The brief facts of the case are that complainant-Sushma alleged that she got married with Kuldeep Singh on 28.02.2017. Her parents had given sufficient dowry beyond their capacity. They had given cash, gold ornaments and other gifts at the time of her marriage. Her husband and mother-in-law started taunting her on the next day of marriage. They were unhappy with the dowry articles. She has also

levelled allegations against her father-in-law regarding misbehaviour. She was physically and mentally tortured to bring more articles from her parental house. She was turned out of the matrimonial home on 04.05.2019. With these allegations, the present FIR got registered.

The petitioner filed this petition for the quashing of aforesaid FIR on the basis of compromise. The petitioner and respondent No.2 were directed to appear before the trial Court/Illaqa Magistrate for recording their statements on the basis of compromise. The detailed report regarding compromise has been received from the court of Addl. Civil Judge (Sr. Divn.)-cum-SDJM, Meham dated 01.08.2022. The statement of respondent No.2 has been recorded, where she confirmed the compromise with the petitioner. She confirmed that this compromise has been effected without any pressure, coercion from any side and she has no objection regarding quashing of FIR.

The petitioner-Kuldeep Singh also confirmed this fact in his separate statement.

As per the report of Addl. Civil Judge (Sr. Divn.)-cum-SDJM, Meham the accused is neither involved in any other case nor has been declared as proclaimed offender. The compromise has been effected between the parties without any pressure, coercion or undue influence, which is acceptable to both the parties. They have mutually settled all their disputes. No purpose would be served with the continuation of criminal proceedings.

Therefore considering these facts the petition filed by the petitioner is accepted and FIR No.0071 dated 26.02.2020, registered under Sections 323, 34, 354, 406, 498-A, 506 IPC at Police Station

Meham, District Rohtak and the consequential proceedings arising therefrom are quashed.

Accordingly, the present petition stands disposed of.

(AMARJOT BHATTI)
JUDGE

19.12.2022
Sunil Devi

Whether speaking/reasoned:	Yes/No
Whether Reportable:	Yes/No