

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH

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CRM-M-32548-2022

Date of decision : 15.12.2022

Satpal Singh @ Satta and Anr.

..... Petitioners

V/S

State of Punjab and Ors.

..... Respondents

CORAM : HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE AMARJOT BHATTI

Present: Mr. Karandeep S.Sidhu, Advocate, for the petitioners.

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

Mr. Rubal Garg, Advocate for respondents No.2 to 5.

AMARJOT BHATTI J. (ORAL)

The petitioners- Satpal Singh @ Satta and Simranjit Singh @ Simar have filed the instant petition under Section 482 of Cr.P.C. for quashing of FIR No.9 dated 29.01.2021, registered under Sections 498-A, 452, 427, 364, 336, 506, 148, 149 of IPC and Section 25 and 27 of Arms Act at Police Station Zira, District Ferozepur and all the subsequent proceedings arising therefrom, on the basis of compromise between the parties.

As per the facts of the case, the complainant-Parkash Kaur gave her statement to the police that her daughter Mandeep Kaur got married with Simarjit Singh @ Simar on 20.01.2020. Soon after her marriage, she was harassed in the matrimonial home by her husband and in-laws family on account of their demand for Bullet motorcycle.

On 28.01.2021, they were discussing the matter in their house and at

about 7.00 PM the complainant along with her son-Avtar Singh, her brother-in-law Gurdev Singh and Dhanwant Singh were present in the house. Simranjit Singh @ Simar armed with sword, Satpal Singh @ Satta armed with gun accompanied by 7/8 unidentified persons entered their house and attached on them. Satpal Singh @ Satta raised lalkara and they started breaking the doors and window panes of the house. They started assaulting Gurdev Singh and her daughter Manpreet Kaur tried to intervene, Simranjit Singh @Simar gave sword blow, which ultimately hit her left wrist. The assailants fired in the air while leaving the house. With these allegations, the present FIR has been registered.

The petitioners filed this petition for the quashing of aforesaid FIR on the basis of compromise. The petitioners and respondent No.2 were directed to appear before the trial Court/Illaq Magistrate for recording their statements on the basis of compromise. The detailed report regarding compromise has been received from the the court of Judicial Magistrate, First Class, Zira District Ferozepur dated 01.09.2022. The statements of respondents No.2 to 5-Parkash Kaur, Gurdev Singh, Manpreet Kaur and Avtar Singh respectively have been recorded, where they confirmed the compromise with the petitioners. They confirmed that this compromise has been effected without any pressure, coercion from any side and they have no objection regarding quashing of FIR

The petitioners-Satpal Singh @ Satta and Simranjit Singh @ Simar also confirmed this fact in their statement. The statement of ASI Balwinder Singh is also recorded who further confirmed that the accused are neither involved in any other case nor have been declared as proclaimed offenders.

Therefore, from the report of Judicial Magistrate, First Class, Zira, District Ferozepur, it is clear that 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. Now they will be able to live peacefully and future litigation will also come to an end. Therefore, no purpose would be served with the continuation of criminal proceedings.

Therefore considering these facts the petition filed by the petitioners is accepted and FIR No.9 dated 29.01.2021, registered under Sections 498-A, 452, 427, 364, 336, 506, 148, 149 of IPC and Section 25 and 27 of Arms Act at Police Station Zira, District Ferozepur and the consequential proceedings arising therefrom are quashed.

Accordingly, the present petition stands disposed of.

(AMARJOT BHATTI)
JUDGE

15.12.2022
Sunil Devi

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