

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

**CRM-M No.51623 of 2021  
Date of Decision: 04.03.2022**

**Anoop Jain**

**..... Petitioner**

**Versus**

**State of Punjab and others**

**..... Respondents**

**(Heard through video-conferencing)**

**CORAM: HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE MANJARI NEHRU KAUL**

Present: Mr. Satnam Singh Thakur, Advocate  
for the petitioner.

Mr. Luvinder Sofat, AAG, Punjab.

Mr. Parveen Kumar, Advocate  
for respondents No.2 to 6.

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**MANJARI NEHRU KAUL J. (Oral)**

Instant petition has been filed under Section 482 Cr.PC for quashing of FIR No.228 dated 27.12.2018, under Section 354-A of IPC, registered at Police Station Haibowal, District Police Commissionerate, Ludhiana as well as DDR bearing GD No.21 dated 29.12.2018 under Sections 451, 506, 323, 149 of IPC and all the consequential proceedings arising out of the same, on the basis of compromise arrived at, between the parties.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that it is a case of version and cross version and subsequently after the registration of the afore-mentioned FIR and DDR, the parties have arrived at an amicable settlement with the intervention of well wishers and respectables.

Vide order dated 10.12.2021 of this Court, the parties were directed to appear before the trial Court/Illaq Magistrate on 24.12.2021 for getting their statements recorded with regard to the compromise arrived at between them.

Report dated 06.01.2022 has since been received from the Judicial Magistrate, First Class, Ludhiana in pursuance to the direction of this Court. As per the report, compromise has indeed been effected between the parties and the same is genuine, without any pressure or coercion in any manner. The trial Court has annexed the statement of the parties alongwith its report.

Learned State counsel also submits that there is no other accused other than the petitioner and respondents No.2 to 6 are the only aggrieved persons in the FIR in question.

In view of the report of the Judicial Magistrate, 1<sup>st</sup> Class, Ludhiana and the principles laid down by the Apex Court in ***Gian Singh Vs. State of Punjab and others***, (2012) 10 SCC 303, and also by the Full Bench of this Court in ***Kulwinder Singh and others Vs. State of Punjab and another***, 2007(3) RCR (Criminal) 1052, the instant petition is allowed. The aforesaid FIR along with all subsequent proceedings arising out of them, are quashed.

Needless to say the parties shall remain bound by the terms of compromise and their statements recorded before the Court below.

(MANJARI NEHRU KAUL)  
JUDGE

04.03.2022

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Whether speaking/reasoned:  
Whether reportable:

Yes/No  
Yes/No