

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

CRM-M-896-2023

Date of Decision: 01.03.2023

JASWINDER SINGH

.... Petitioner

VERSUS

STATE OF PUNJAB AND ANOTHER

.... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SUDHIR MITTAL

Present: Mr.Rishabh Choudhary, Advocate for
Mr.Mohit Rathee, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. G.S.Dhillon, AAG, Punjab.

Mr. Dushant Jog, Advocate for
Mr.Tarun Vir singh Lehal, for Respondent No.2.

SUDHIR MITTAL, J (ORAL)

Status report dated 28.02.2023 filed on behalf of State of Punjab in Court is taken on record. Copy thereof has been supplied to the learned counsel for the petitioner.

The present petition has been filed for quashing of FIR No.28 dated 31.01.2022, under Sections 406, 420, 120-B of IPC and Section 13 of Punjab Prevention of Human Smuggling Act, 2012 registered at Poilice Station- City Rajpura, District Patiala (P-1) on the basis of compromise dated 10.10.2022.

Pursuant to order dated 10.01.2023, report dated 09.02.2023 has been received from Sub Divisional Judicial Magistrate, Rajpura, according to which, the statements of the parties have been recorded and the compromise is genuine and has been arrived at between them without any pressure or coercion.

In view of the above, the petition is allowed and FIR No.28 dated 31.01.2022, under Sections 406, 420, 120-B of IPC and Section 13 of Punjab Prevention of Human Smuggling Act, 2012 registered at Poilice Station- City Rajpura, District Patiala (P-1) alongwith all consequential proceedings having arisen therefrom, is quashed qua the petitioners.

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(SUDHIR MITTAL)
JUDGE

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