

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

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CRM-M-1310-2023
Date of Decision:19.05.2023

Bhart Singh and AnotherPetitioners
Vs.
State of Punjab and AnotherRespondents

CORAM:- HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE DEEPAK GUPTA

Present:- Mr. Amrinder Singh, Advocate
for the petitioners.

Mr. Parneet Singh Pandher, AAG, Punjab.

None for respondent No.2

DEEPAK GUPTA, J.

Prayer in this petition filed under Section 482 Cr.P.C. is for quashing of F.I.R. No.0200 dated 30.09.2022 registered under Sections 307, 324, 323, 341, 148, 149 of the IPC (Section 326 of the IPC added later on) registered at Police Station City Sangrur, District Sangrur and all subsequent proceedings arising therefrom on the basis of compromise dated 15.12.2022 (Annexure P-2).

This Court vide order dated 11.01.2023 had directed the parties to appear before the trial Court to get their statements recorded and the learned Magistrate was directed to send its report qua the genuineness of the compromise.

Pursuant to the aforesaid order, parties have appeared before Learned Chief Judicial Magistrate and got their statements recorded. On the basis of the statements so recorded, Learned Magistrate has submitted report dated 08.02.2023 to the effect that the compromise has been effected

between the parties voluntarily and without any coercion or undue influence.

Notice issued to respondent No.2 received back duly served through his father however, there is no representation on his behalf. Report regarding compromise has been received.

Learned State counsel has not disputed the factum of compromise between the parties.

In view of the above, no useful purpose would be served to continue with the proceedings before the trial Court in the instant F.I.R.

Following the principles laid down by the Full Bench judgment of this Court in *Kulwinder Singh and others Versus State of Punjab and another 2007 (3) RCR (Criminal) 1052* and approved by the Hon'ble Supreme Court in *Gian Singh Versus State of Punjab and others (2012) 10 SCC 303*, this petition is allowed and F.I.R. No.0200 dated 30.09.2022 registered under Sections 307, 324, 323, 341, 148, 149 of the IPC (Section 326 of the IPC added later on) registered at Police Station City Sangrur, District Sangrur and all subsequent proceedings arising therefrom on the basis of compromise dated 15.12.2022 (Annexure P-2), are quashed qua the petitioners.

May 19, 2023
Neetika Tuteja

(DEEPAK GUPTA)
JUDGE

Whether Speaking/reasoned	Yes/No
Whether Reportable	Yes/No