

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

CRM-M-7855-2023

Date of decision : 14.02.2023

Gourav and another

.....Petitioners

versus

State of Haryana and another

..... Respondents

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJESH BHARDWAJ

Present :- Mr. Arvind Rajotia, Advocate
for the petitioners.

RAJESH BHARDWAJ, J.

Petitioners have approached this Court by way of filing the present petition praying for quashing of FIR No.1273 dated 28.12.2017, under Sections 147, 148, 324, 341 of IPC (Sections 325, 326 of IPC added later on), registered at Police Station Hisar Sadar, District Hisar along with subsequent proceedings arising therefrom on the basis of Panchayati Compromise dated 02.04.2021 (Annexure P-2).

The occurrence relates back to the year 2017. It has been contended by counsel for the petitioners that with the intervention of respectables, the parties have duly settled the dispute amicably and decided not to pursue the FIR. It is further submitted that in the facts and circumstances of the case, prosecution of the petitioners would be nothing but an abuse of the process of the Court.

Notice of motion.

On asking of the Court, Mr. B.S. Virk, DAG, Haryana accepts notice on behalf of the respondent-State.

Learned State counsel, on instructions from SI Ashok Kumar, has submitted before this Court that all the prosecution witnesses have been examined before the trial Court and now the case is fixed for recording of the defence evidence.

After hearing counsel for the parties and perusing the record, it is apparent that the trial in the case is virtually at the fag end. This Court does not find it appropriate at this stage to entertain the prayer made by counsel for the petitioner. Thus, keeping in view the overall facts and circumstances of the case, present petition is disposed of with liberty to the petitioners to pursue their remedy before the trial Court as in accordance with law.

(RAJESH BHARDWAJ)
JUDGE

14.02.2023
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Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No
Whether reportable : Yes/No