

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

CRM-M-7237-2023  
Decided on : 18.04.2023

Gurdev Singh

..... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab & another

..... Respondents

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

Present : Mr. Nitin Meel, Advocate for  
Mr. J.S.Dadwal, Advocate  
for the petitioner.

Mr. Amit Rana, Sr. DAG, Punjab.

Mr. Sanjeev Kumar, Advocate  
for respondent No.2.

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**Manjari Nehru Kaul, J.**

The instant petition has been filed under Section 482 Cr.PC for quashing of FIR No.330 dated 19.11.2022 under Sections 295, 323 IPC registered at Police Station Civil Lines, Batala, District Gurdaspur and all the consequential proceedings arising out of the same, on the basis of compromise deed dated 06.02.2023 (Annexure P-1) arrived at, between the parties.

Vide order dated 10.02.2023 of this Court, the parties were directed to appear before the learned trial Court/Illaq Magistrate on 02.03.2023 to get their statements recorded regarding the compromise arrived at, between them.

Report dated 10.03.2023 has since been received from the learned

JMIC, Batala in pursuance of the direction of this Court. As per the report,

compromise has indeed been effected between the parties and the same is without any pressure or coercion and out of their free will. The trial Court has annexed the the statements of the parties in original alongwith its report.

Learned State counsel also submits that there are no other accused other than the petitioners and respondent No.2 is the only aggrieved person in the FIR in question.

In view of the report of the learned JMIC, Batala 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 and all consequential proceedings arising out of it, 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**

18.04.2023  
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