

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

CRM-M-18133-2023

Date of decision : 17.04.2023

Atul Kumar @ Atul Gupta @ Khuda and othersPetitioners

versus

State of Punjab and another Respondents

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJESH BHARDWAJ

Present :- Mr. Umesh Aggarwal, Advocate
for the petitioners.

Mr. Sandeep Kumar, DAG, Punjab.

Ms. Nandini Sharma, Advocate for
Mr. Prateek Sodhi, Advocate
for respondent No.2.

RAJESH BHARDWAJ, J. (Oral)

Prayer in the present petition is for quashing of FIR No.72 dated 19.03.2023, under Sections 341, 427, 148, 149, 307 of Indian Penal Code and Section 25/27 of Arms Act, registered at Police Station Sadar Amritsar, Amritsar along with consequential proceedings arising therefrom on the basis of compromise.

Though the petitioner has approached this Court praying for quashing of the FIR, however, learned State counsel, on instructions from ASI Manohar Singh, has submitted that the case is under investigation.

Learned counsel for the petitioner fairly submits that he restricts his prayer in the petition only to the extent that free and impartial investigation be carried out expeditiously.

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In view of the above, present petition is disposed of with a direction to the State to complete the investigation expeditiously. Petitioners would have the liberty to avail their remedies as in accordance with law.

(RAJESH BHARDWAJ)
JUDGE

17.04.2023
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Whether speaking/reasoned	:	Yes/No
Whether reportable	:	Yes/No