

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CRM-M-29094-2023(O&M)
Date of decision: 12.10.2023

Amandeep Singh and othersPetitioners.

Versus

State of Punjab and othersRespondents.

CORAM:- HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SANJIV BERRY

Present:- Mr. Rishav Soni, Advocate for
Mr. Sumeet Sagar Maini, Advocate
for the petitioners.

Ms. Swati Batra, DAG, Punjab.

Ms. Harpreet Kaur, Advocate
for respondents No.2 and 3.

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SANJIV BERRY, J.(ORAL)

By way of present petition filed under Section 482 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973, petitioners seek quashing of FIR (Annexure P-1) and all consequential proceedings arising therefrom on the basis of compromise dated 25.07.2021 (Annexure P-2) and dated 13.09.2023 (Annexure P-3) executed between the parties. Details of the FIR are as follows:

FIR No.	Dated	Sections	Police Station
131	08.07.2021	341, 323, 427, 506, 148 and 149 IPC	Sadar Faridkot

2. With the intervention of respectables and elderly people of the society, the parties have arrived at a settlement vide compromise deed dated

25.07.2021 (Annexure P-2) and dated 13.09.2023 (Annexure P-3), which is duly signed by them. The matter was referred to the Court below for recording of statements of the parties and to report with respect to genuineness of the compromise arrived at between the parties. Addl. Chief Judicial Magistrate, Faridkot, vide report dated 07.10.2023, has apprised this Court that the compromise arrived at between the parties is genuine and without any pressure.

3. Respondents No. 2 and 3 are represented by their counsel and do not oppose the compromise.

4. In view of the report of the Addl. Chief Judicial Magistrate, Faridkot, and in view of the decision of the Hon'ble Supreme Court in “Gian Singh Vs. State of Punjab and another”, 2012(4) RCR (Criminal) 543 and “Narinder Singh and Others Vs. State of Punjab and Another”, (2014) 6 SCC 466, this Court is of the opinion that no useful purpose can be served by keeping with the criminal proceedings pending, since the complainant has himself compromised the dispute with the petitioners/ accused persons.

5. In the circumstances, the present petition is allowed. FIR No. 131 dated 08.07.2021, under Sections 341, 323, 427, 506, 148 and 149 of IPC, registered at Police Station Sadar Faridkot (Annexure P-1) and all consequential proceedings arising therefrom, are hereby quashed on the basis of compromise qua the present petitioners.

(SANJIV BERRY)
JUDGE

12.10.2023

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i) Whether speaking/reasoned? Yes/No

ii) Whether reportable? Yes/No