

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

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Criminal Misc. No. M-33095 of 2022

Date of decision :-26.07.2023

Hardeep Singh and others

.....Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and others

.....Respondents

CORAM:- HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE NIDHI GUPTA

Present:- None for the petitioners.

Mr. Virat Rana, AAG, Punjab assisted by
SI Surjeet Singh.

None for respondents No.2 and 3.

NIDHI GUPTA J. (Oral)

The petitioners have filed the present petition under Section 482 Cr.P.C., for quashing FIR No. 179 dated 31.5.2020, under Sections 363, 366-A and 120-B IPC, registered at Police Station Sadar Fazilka, District Fazilka (Annexure P-1) and all the consequential proceedings arising therefrom.

Learned State counsel on instructions from SI Surjeet Singh informs the Court that petitioner No.1 and the alleged victim-respondent No.3 have performed marriage and out of this wedlock a child has born, who is now 1-½ years old. Learned State counsel submits that petitioner No.1 alongwith victim-respondent No.3 and the minor child are living happily altogether. Learned State counsel

submits that in view of the aforesaid development, he has no objection if the FIR in question is quashed qua the petitioners herein.

In view of what has been discussed hereinabove, this petition is allowed and FIR No. 179 dated 31.5.2020, under Sections 363, 366-A and 120-B IPC, registered at Police Station Sadar Fazilka, District Fazilka along with all other consequential proceedings arising therefrom, are ordered to be quashed qua the petitioners.

July 26, 2023

Vijay Asija

(NIDHI GUPTA)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned Yes / No

Whether Reportable Yes / No