

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

**CRM-M-35337-2023**

**Date of decision: 21.08.2023**

**Rajeev Kansra**

**....Petitioner.**

**Versus**

**State of Haryana and another**

**....Respondents.**

**CORAM:- HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SANJIV BERRY**

Present:- M/s Amitabh Tewari and Shivam Sharma, Advocates,  
for the petitioner.

Ms. Aditi Girdhar, AAG, Haryana.

Ms. Janya Sirohi, Advocate, for respondent No. 2.

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**SANJIV BERRY, J.**

Instant petition has been filed under Section 482 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973, for quashing of FIR No. 452 dated 30.10.2021 (Annexure P-1) under Sections 51 and 63 of the Copyright Act, 1957 (Amendment 2012), registered at Police Station Ambala City, District Ambala, and all consequential proceedings arising therefrom on the basis of compromise dated 14.06.2023 (Annexure P-3) executed between the parties.

[2]. With the intervention of respectables and elderly people of the society, the parties have arrived at a settlement vide compromise deed dated 14.06.2023 (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. The Chief Judicial Magistrate, Ambala, vide report

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dated 19.08.2023 has apprised this Court that the compromise arrived at between the parties is genuine and without any pressure.

[3]. Respondent No. 2 is represented by his counsel and does not oppose the compromise.

[4]. In view of the aforesaid report of the Chief Judicial Magistrate, Ambala, 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 petitioner/ accused person.

[5]. In the circumstances, the present petition is allowed. FIR No. 452 dated 30.10.2021 (Annexure P-1) under Sections 51 and 63 of the Copyright Act, 1957 (Amendment 2012), registered at Police Station Ambala City, District Ambala, and all consequential proceedings arising therefrom are hereby quashed on the basis of compromise dated 14.06.2023 (Annexure P-3) qua the present petitioner.

**(SANJIV BERRY)**  
**JUDGE**

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i) Whether speaking/reasoned? Yes/No

ii) Whether reportable? Yes/No