

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

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**2023:PHHC:130349**

CRM-M-37439-2023

Date of decision: October 9<sup>th</sup>, 2023

Karan Pal

.....Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana and another

.....Respondents

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

Present: Mr. Ram Bilas Gupta, Advocate  
for the petitioner.

Mr. Gurmeet Singh, Assistant Advocate General, Haryana.

Mr. Hardeep Singh, Advocate  
for respondent No.2.

**MANJARI NEHRU KAUL, J. (ORAL)**

Prayer in the instant petition is for quashing of FIR No.40 dated 31.01.2017 under Sections 420, 467, 468 and 471 of the IPC registered at Police Station Faridabad Kotwali, District Faridabad, along with all consequential proceedings arising therefrom on the basis of compromise dated 28.07.2023 (Annexure P-2).

Vide order dated 02.08.2023 of this Court, the parties were directed to appear before the learned trial Court/Illaq Magistrate on 04.09.2023 to get their statements recorded regarding the compromise arrived at, between them.

Report has since been received from learned Judicial Magistrate Ist Class, Faridabad, in pursuance of the directions of this Court, wherein, the factum of the compromise arrived at between the parties stands verified and confirmed. 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 and the complainant has also made statement to the effect that he would have no objection if the FIR *qua* the accused-petitioners is quashed.

The trial Court has annexed the statements of the parties in original, along with its report.

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

In view of the report of the learned Judicial Magistrate Ist Class, Faridabad, 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.

**October 9<sup>th</sup>, 2023**

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**(MANJARI NEHRU KAUL)  
JUDGE**

Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes

Whether reportable : No