

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

**CRM-M-39016-2023
Date of decision: 31.08.2023**

Gurwinder Kaur @ Baby and another **....Petitioners.**

Versus

State of Punjab and another **....Respondents.**

CORAM:- HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SANJIV BERRY

Present:- Mr. Bhupinder Ghai, Advocate,
for the petitioners.

Mr. Anmol Singh Sandhu, AAG, Punjab.

Mr. Sukhdev Singh, Advocate,
for Mr. Mohit Kakkar, Advocate,
for respondent No. 2.

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SANJIV BERRY, J.

This is a petition filed under Section 482 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973, for quashing of FIR No. 99 dated 12.06.2020 under Sections 323, 341, 506 and 34 IPC, (Section 326-B IPC added lateron), registered at Police Station Fatehgarh Sahib, District Fatehgarh Sahib (Annexure P-1) and all subsequent proceedings arising therefrom on the basis of compromise dated 01.08.2023 (Annexure P-2).

[2]. With the intervention of respectables and elderly people of the society, the parties have arrived at a settlement vide compromise deed dated 01.08.2023 (Annexure P-2), which is duly signed by them. The matter was referred to the Court below for recording of statements of the

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parties and to report with respect to genuineness of the compromise arrived at between the parties.

[3] Learned Additional District & Sessions Judge, Fatehgarh Sahib, vide report dated 28.08.2023 has apprised this Court that the compromise arrived at between the parties is genuine and without any pressure and the petitioners have also deposited the amount of Rs. 10,000/- in Poor Patients Welfare Fund, PGIMER, Chandigarh in compliance to the dated 09.08.2023. Photocopy of the receipt dated 12.08.2023 is also annexed herewith.

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

[5]. In view of the aforesaid report of the learned Additional District and Sessions Judge, Fatehgarh Sahib, 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.

[6]. In the circumstances, the present petition is allowed. FIR No. 99 dated 12.06.2020 under Sections 323, 341, 506, 34 IPC (Section 326 IPC added lateron), registered at Police Station Fatehgarh Sahib,

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District Fatehgarh Sahib (Annexure P-1) and all subsequent proceedings arising therefrom on the basis of compromise are hereby quashed qua the present petitioners.

(SANJIV BERRY)
JUDGE

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| i) | Whether speaking/reasoned? | Yes/No |
| ii) | Whether reportable? | Yes/No |