

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

302 CRM M-45657 of 2023
Date of Decision:31.10.2023

Mandar Singh and others ...Petitioners
Versus
State of Punjab and another ... Respondents

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE N.S.SHEKHAWAT

Present : Mr. P.S. Saini, Advocate for
Mr. Atul Goyal, Advocate, for the petitioners.

Mr. M.S. Bajwa, DAG, Punjab.

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

N.S.SHEKHAWAT, J. (Oral)

1. The instant petition has been filed under Section 482 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973 for quashing of FIR No. 109 dated 27.07.2018 registered under Sections 323, 506, 353, 186 and 34 of IPC at Police Station Sri Muktsar Sahib, District Sri Muktsar Sahib (Annexure P-1) and all consequential proceedings arising therefrom on the basis of compromise (Annexure P-2) arrived between the parties.

2. Vide order dated 13.09.2023, this Court had directed the parties to appear before the Illaqa Magistrate/trial Magistrate for getting their statements recorded with respect to the compromise (Annexure P-2).

3. Pursuant to aforesaid order, the parties have appeared before the Additional Chief Judicial Magistrate, Sri Muktsar Sahib

and got their statements recorded. Report dated 12.10.2023 has been received whereby after recording the statements of the parties, the Court below has shown its satisfaction that the compromise is genuine, voluntary and without any coercion or undue influence.

4. I have heard counsel for the parties and gone through the case file.

5. In the light of the satisfaction shown by the Court below and considering the offence for which the accused have been charged are not of serious nature, together with the fact that compromise will go a long way in ironing out the differences for betterment of future life of the parties and also in view of the law laid down in **Gian Singh Vs. State of Punjab and another, 2012 (4) RCR (Criminal) 543** and **Kulwinder Singh and others Vs. State of Punjab 2007(3) RCR (Criminal) 1052**, the present petition for quashing the FIR is allowed qua the petitioners.

6. Resultantly, FIR No. 109 dated 27.07.2018 registered under Sections 323, 506, 353, 186 and 34 of IPC at Police Station Sri Muktsar Sahib, District Sri Muktsar Sahib (Annexure P-1) alongwith all consequential proceedings arising therefrom are hereby quashed qua the petitioners.

31.10.2023

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JUDGE

Whether reasoned/speaking : Yes/No
Whether reportable : Yes/No