

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

**CRM-M No.53859 of 2022 (O&M)
Date of decision: 08.11.2023**

Harjinder Singh

... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and another

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE MAHABIR SINGH SINDHU

Present: None for the petitioner.

Mr. Jaiteshwar S. Bhandari, AAG, Punjab
for respondent No.1.

None for respondent No.2.

MAHABIR SINGH SINDHU, J.

Present petition has been filed under Section 482 Cr.P.C. praying for quashing of FIR No.204 dated 12.10.2020, under Sections 307, 324 & 427 of the Indian Penal Code, 1860, registered at Police Station Nakodar Sadar, District Jalandhar (Rural) along with all consequential proceedings arising therefrom on the basis of compromise dated 03.09.2022 (P-2).

(2) Learned State Counsel on instructions from ASI Loveleen Singh has apprised the Court that after investigation, report under Section

173 Cr.P.C. was submitted before the Court of competent jurisdiction on 08.01.2021. Also apprised that charges were framed on 09.04.2021; out of total 14 prosecution witnesses, 07 have already been examined and now the trial is pending for 08.01.2024.

- (3) In view of the above, this Court is not inclined to entertain the present petition for quashing of the FIR at this stage.
- (4) Disposed off accordingly.
- (5) However, petitioner would be at liberty to raise his pleas, including the factum of compromise before the Court concerned.
- (6) Pending application(s), if any, shall also stand disposed off.

November 8th, 2023
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(MAHABIR SINGH SINDHU)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned	Yes/No
Whether Reportable	Yes/No