

250 IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA  
AT CHANDIGARH

CRM-M-60681-2022

Date of Decision:28.07.2023

Rajesh Kumar

...Petitioner

vs.

State of Haryana and another

...Respondents

**Coram :** Hon'ble Mr. Justice N.S.Shekhawat**Present :** Mr. Sanpreet Sandhu, Advocate  
for the petitioner.

Mr. Gaurav Gurcharan Singh Rai, DAG, Haryana.

Mr. Kuldeep Sheoran, Advocate  
for respondent No.2.

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**N.S.Shekhawat J. (Oral)**

1. The instant petition has been filed under Section 482 Cr.P.C. for quashing of an FIR No.173 dated 20.06.2020 under Sections 406, 420 of IPC and Section 24 of Emigration Act, registered at Police Station Nissing District Karnal (Annexure P-1) alongwith all the consequential proceedings arising therefrom on the basis of compromise dated 29.11.2022 (Annexure P-2).

2. Vide order dated 23.12.2022, while issuing notice of motion, a Co-ordinate Bench of this Court had directed the parties to appear before the Illaqa Magistrate/trial Magistrate for getting their statements recorded with respect to the compromise dated 29.11.2022 (Annexure P-2).

3. Pursuant to aforesaid order, the parties have appeared before the learned District and Sessions Judge, Karnal and got their statements recorded.

Report dated 17.01.2023 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 petitioner.

6. Resultantly, FIR No.173 dated 20.06.2020 under Sections 406, 420 of IPC and Section 24 of Emigration Act, registered at Police Station Nissing District Karnal (Annexure P-1) alongwith all consequential proceedings arising therefrom on the basis of compromise dated 29.11.2022 are hereby quashed qua the petitioner.

28.07.2023  
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**(N.S.SHEKHAWAT)**  
**JUDGE**

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