

CRM-M-3125-2024
Date of decision: 20.02.2024

....Petitioners.

...Respondents.

Ms. Shivani Jaglan, Advocate,
for respondents No. 2 to 4.

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2. Instant petition has been preferred seeking quashing of the FIR (Annexure P-1), and all other consequential proceedings arising therefrom on the basis of compromise/affidavit dated 13.01.2024

(Annexures P-2 to P-4), executed between the parties. Details of the FIR are as under: -

FIR No.	Dated	Sections	Police Station
0248	28.11.2023	148, 149, 323, 427, 506 IPC	P.S. Dhand, District Kaithal.

3. With the intervention of respectables and elderly people of the society, the parties have arrived at a settlement vide compromise deed dated 13.01.2024 (Annexures P-2 to P-4), which is duly signed by them. The matter was referred to the Court below for recording of statements of the parties and to report with respect to genuineness of the compromise arrived at between the parties.

4. Learned Judicial Magistrate Ist Class, Kaithal, vide report dated 12.02.2024 has apprised this Court that the compromise arrived at between the parties is genuine and without any pressure.

5. Respondents Nos. 2 to 4 are represented by their counsel and do/does not oppose the compromise.

6. In view of the aforesaid report of learned Judicial Magistrate Ist Class, Kaithal, 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 respondents have themselves compromised the dispute with the petitioners/ accused persons.

7. In the circumstances, the present petition is allowed. FIR No. 0248 dated 28.11.2023, under Sections 148, 149, 323, 427, 506 IPC, registered at Police Station Dhand, District Kaithal, (Annexures P-2 to P-4) and all consequential proceedings arising therefrom, are hereby quashed on the basis of compromise qua the present petitioners.

20.02.2024
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(SANJIV BERRY)
JUDGE

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