



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

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CRM-M-14754-2024 (O&M)

Date of Decision: 20.05.2024

MISHRI LAL AND OTHERS**.....Petitioners****Vs.****STATE OF PUNJAB AND ANOTHER****.....Respondents****CORAM:- HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE DEEPAK GUPTA**

Present:- Mr. Deepak Basatia, Advocate for
Mr. Sahil Vasisth, Advocate
for the petitioners.

Mr. Amandeep Singh, DAG, Punjab.

Mr. Rajat Malhotra, Advocate for respondent No.2.

DEEPAK GUPTA, J.

Prayer in this petition filed under Section 482 Cr.P.C. is for quashing of FIR No.0071 dated 15.04.2021, under Sections 452, 379, 323, 427, 506 and 34 of IPC (later on added Section 201 IPC), registered at Police Station Division No.2, Ludhiana and all subsequent proceedings arising therefrom on the basis of compromise dated 10.07.2023 (Annexure P-2).

This Court vide order dated 22.03.2024 had directed the parties to appear before the trial Court to get their statements recorded and the learned Magistrate was directed to send its report qua the genuineness of the compromise.

Pursuant to the aforesaid order, parties have appeared before Judicial Magistrate Ist Class, Ludhiana and got their statements recorded. On the basis of the statements so recorded, Learned Magistrate has submitted report dated 24.04.2024 to the effect that the compromise has been effected between the parties voluntarily and without any coercion or



undue influence.

Learned State counsel as well as counsel for respondent No.2 have not disputed the factum of compromise between the parties.

In view of the above, no useful purpose would be served to continue with the proceedings before the trial Court in the instant F.I.R.

Following the principles laid down by the Full Bench judgment of this Court in *Kulwinder Singh and others Versus State of Punjab and another 2007 (3) RCR (Criminal) 1052* and approved by the Hon'ble Supreme Court in *Gian Singh Versus State of Punjab and others (2012) 10 SCC 303*, this petition is allowed and FIR No.0071 dated 15.04.2021, under Sections 452, 379, 323, 427, 506 and 34 of IPC (later on added Section 201 IPC), registered at Police Station Division No.2, Ludhiana and all subsequent proceedings arising therefrom on the basis of compromise dated 10.07.2023 (Annexure P-2) are quashed qua the petitioners.

(DEEPAK GUPTA)
JUDGE

20.05.2024

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Whether Speaking/reasoned	Yes/No
Whether Reportable	Yes/No