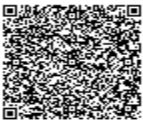


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IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH

CRM-M-15967-2024 (O&M)
Date of decision: 12.09.2024

Rupinder Singh

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and another

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR JUSTICE HARPREET SINGH BRAR

Present: Mr. N.S. Dadwal, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Rishabh Singla, AAG Punjab.

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

HARPREET SINGH BRAR, J.

1. This petition has been filed under Section 482 of the Code of Criminal Procedure seeking quashing of FIR No.0001 dated 09.01.2024 under Sections 406, 498-A of the Indian Penal Code, 1860 (for short 'IPC'), registered at Police Station Women, District Ludhiana (Annexure P-1) along with all subsequent proceedings arising therefrom on the basis of compromise dated 31.01.2024 (Annexure P-2).

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2. The following order was passed on 29.05.2024 : -

“This petition has been filed under Section 482 Cr.P.C. seeking quashing of FIR No.0001 dated 09.01.2024 registered under Sections 406, 498-A of IPC Police Station Women, District Ludhiana (Annexure P-1) along with all subsequent proceedings arising therefrom on the basis of compromise dated 31.01.2024 (Annexure P-2).

Notice of motion.

At this stage, on the asking of the Court, Mr. Rishabh Singla, AAG, Punjab accepts notice on behalf of respondent No.1-State. Copy of the paper book be supplied to him during the course of day.

Adjourned to 11.07.2024.

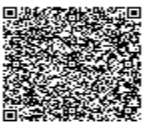
In the meanwhile, the parties are directed to appear before the learned trial Court/Illaq Magistrate within four weeks from today or any other date convenient to the trial Court/Illaq Magistrate, to get recorded their statements regarding compromise and after recording their statements, learned trial Court/Illaq Magistrate is directed to send report regarding the genuineness of compromise and also to intimate whether any PO proceedings are pending against any of the party on or before the date fixed i.e. 11.07.2024.

A copy of the order be sent to learned trial Court/Illaq Magistrate through fax for compliance.

Learned counsel for the petitioner is directed to ensure the presence of respondent No.2, at the time of recording the statement.”

3. Thereafter, vide order dated 11.07.2024, one more

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opportunity was granted to the parties to record their respective statements in terms of the compromise (Annexure P-2).

4. In compliance of the aforesaid orders, a report has been received from the concerned jurisdictional Court that the compromise between the parties is genuine and arrived at without any pressure or coercion from anyone.

5. In view of the compromise and the ratio of law laid down by the Hon'ble Supreme Court in *Narinder Singh and others vs. State of Punjab and another, (2014) 6 SCC 466, Ramgopal and another Vs. State of Madhya Pradesh 2021 SCC OnLine SC 834 and Shakuntala Sawhney (Mrs) Vs. Kaushalya (Mrs.) and others (1980) 1 SCC 63* and Full Bench of this Court in *Kulwinder Singh Vs. State of Punjab 2007 (3) RCR (Crl.) 1052*, this petition is allowed and FIR No.0001 dated 09.01.2024 under Sections 406, 498-A of IPC, registered at Police Station Women, District Ludhiana and all subsequent proceedings arising out of the same are quashed, qua the petitioner.

[HARPREET SINGH BRAR]
JUDGE

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