



IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

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CRM M-31601-2024 (O&M)

Date of Decision: 20.08.2024

Sukhdev Singh @ Sukhdev Singh ...Petitioner
Versus
State of Punjab and others ... Respondents

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE N.S.SHEKHAWAT

Present : Mr. Nirmaljeet Singh Sidhu, Advocate, for the
petitioners.

Mr. Deepinder Singh Brar, Sr. DAG, Punjab.

Mr. Ajay Singh Pundir, Advocate, for respondents No. 2
and 3.

N.S.SHEKHAWAT, J. (Oral)

1. The instant petition has been filed under Section 482 Cr.P.C. for quashing of FIR No. 85 dated 02.08.2023 under Sections 324, 323, 427 and 34 of IPC (later on added Sections 326, 325 and 201 of IPC) registered at Police Station Phul, District Bathinda, (Annexure P-1) alongwith all the consequential proceedings arising therefrom on the basis of compromise dated 24.06.2024.
2. Vide order dated 05.07.2024, 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 24.06.2024 (Annexure P-2).
3. Pursuant to aforesaid order, the parties have appeared before the Sub Divisional Judicial Magistrate, Phul and got their statements recorded. Report dated 09.08.2024 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 petitioners.

6. Resultantly, FIR No. 85 dated 02.08.2023 under Sections 324, 323, 427 and 34 of IPC (later on added Sections 326, 325 and 201 of IPC) registered at Police Station Phul, District Bathinda, (Annexure P-1) alongwith all consequential proceedings arising therefrom are hereby quashed qua the petitioners.

20.08.2024
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(N.S.SHEKHAWAT)
JUDGE

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