

268/2

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CRM-M-36805-2023
DATE OF DECISION: 28.02.2024

DALBIR SINGH AND ORS.PETITIONERS
VERSUS
STATE OF PUNJAB AND OTHERSRESPONDENTS

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE DEEPAK GUPTA.

Present: - Mr. Sukhbir Maandi, Advocate
for the petitioners.

Mr. Sahil R. Bakshi, AAG, Punjab.

Mr. Jagdish Singh Mahal, Advocate
for respondent Nos. 2 to 5.

.....

DEEPAK GUPTA, J (ORAL)

Prayer in this petition filed under Section 482 Cr.P.C. is for quashing of F.I.R. No.19 dated 05.02.2022, registered under Sections 152, 323, 506 and 34 of IPC (Section 325 of IPC added lateron) at Police Station Sultanwind, District Police Commissionerate Amritsar, and all subsequent proceedings arising therefrom on the basis of compromise.

This Court vide order dated 31.07.2023 had directed the parties to appear before the Trial Court/Illaq Magistrate to get their statements recorded and the learned Magistrate was directed to send his/her report qua the genuineness of the compromise.

Pursuant to the aforesaid order, parties have appeared before learned Judicial Magistrate 1st Class, Amritsar and got their statements recorded. On the basis of the statements so recorded, learned Magistrate has submitted report dated 11.09.2023 to the effect that the compromise has been

effected between the parties voluntarily and without any coercion or undue influence.

Statement of Respondent Nos.2 to 5-complainant, namely, Iqbal Singh, Sakattar Singh, Paramjit Kaur and Rambir Kaur with regard to compromise was recorded before learned Magistrate on 10.01.2024.

Learned State counsel as well as learned counsel for respondent No.2 to 5 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 F.I.R. No.19 dated 05.02.2022, registered under Sections 152, 323, 506 and 34 of IPC (Section 325 of IPC added lateron) at Police Station Sultanwind, District Police Commissionerate Amritsar, and all subsequent proceedings arising therefrom on the basis of compromise qua petitioner(s), are hereby quashed.

28.02.2024
Jatin

(DEEPAK GUPTA)
JUDGE

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