



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

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CRM-M-36136-2024(O&M)
Date of Decision: 12.09.2024

SATINDER SINGH

....Petitioner

VERSUS

STATE OF PUNJAB AND ANOTHER

....Respondent

CORAM : HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE MANISHA BATRA

Present : Mr. Randeep Singh, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Amandeep Singh Samra, AAG, Punjab.

Mr. Gurvinder Singh, Advocate for the complainant.

MANISHA BATRA, J. (Oral)

The present petition has been filed under Section 483 of Code of Criminal Procedure for quashing of FIR No.161 dated 02.09.2023 under Sections 389, 149, 465 of IPC and Section 66 (D) of Information Technology Act, 2000 registered at Police Station Mataur, District SAS Nagar, Mohali and all the subsequent proceedings arising therefrom, on the basis of compromise dated 06.05.2024 (Annexure P-2).

2. This Court vide order dated 30.07.2024 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.

3. Pursuant to the aforesaid order, parties have appeared before the learned Chief Judicial Magistrate-cum-Addl. Civil Judge (Sr. Division), SAS



Nagar, Mohali and got their statements recorded. On the basis of the statements so recorded, learned Magistrate has submitted report dated 09.09.2024 to the effect that the compromise has been effected between the parties voluntarily and without any coercion or undue influence.

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

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

6. 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.161 dated 02.09.2023 under Sections 389, 149, 465 of IPC and Section 66 (D) of Information Technology Act, 2000 registered at Police Station Mataur, District SAS Nagar, Mohali and all subsequent proceedings arising therefrom on the basis of compromise dated 06.05.2024 (Annexure P-2) are quashed qua the petitioner.

(MANISHA BATRA)
JUDGE

12.09.2024

Deepak Patwal

1. Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No
2. Whether reportable : Yes/No