



IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CRM-M-39693-2024
Date of decision: 16.12.2024

JAGJEET SINGH
....PETITIONERS

VERSUS

STATE OF PUNJAB AND ANOTHER ...RESPONDENTS

CORAM:- HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SANJIV BERRY

Present: - Mr. Pardeep Panwar, Advocate for the petitioners.

 Mr. Amit Shukla, AAG, Punjab.

 Mr. Amit, Advocate for
 Mr. Rohit Saini, Advocate
 for respondent No.2.

SANJIV BERRY, J. (ORAL)

By way of present petition filed under Section 482 of Cr.P.C., petitioners seek quashing of FIR (Annexure P-1) and all consequential proceedings arising therefrom on the basis of compromise dated 14.06.2024 (Annexure P-2) executed between the parties. Details of the FIR (Annexure P-1) are as follows:

FIR No.	Dated	Sections	Police Station
182	07.06.2024	406, 420 of IPC	Dera Bassi, District SAS Nagar, Punjab.

2. With the intervention of respectables and elderly people of the society, the parties have arrived at a settlement vide compromise deed dated 14.06.2024 (Annexure P-2), which is duly signed by them. The matter was referred to the Court below for recording of statements of the parties and to report with respect to genuineness of the compromise arrived at between the parties. Learned Judicial Magistrate Ist Class (Duty), Dera Bassi, vide report dated 11.09.2024 has apprised this Court that the compromise arrived



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at between the parties is genuine and without any pressure. A copy of Receipt of costs of Rs.5,000/- has been placed on record in compliance of the order dated 14.08.2024

3. Respondent No. 2 is represented by his counsel and does not oppose the compromise.

4. In view of the report of the learned Judicial Magistrate Ist Class (Duty), Dera Bassi, and in view of the decision of the Hon'ble Supreme Court in “Gian Singh Vs. State of Punjab and another”, 2012(4) RCR (Criminal) 543 and “Narinder Singh and Others Vs. State of Punjab and Another”, (2014) 6 SCC 466, this Court is of the opinion that no useful purpose can be served by keeping the criminal proceedings pending, since the complainant has himself compromised the dispute with the petitioners/ accused persons.

5. In the circumstances, the present petition is allowed. FIR No. 182 dated 07.06.2024 under Sections 406, 420 of IPC, registered at Police Station Dera Bassi, District SAS Nagar, Punjab, and all consequential proceedings arising therefrom, are hereby quashed on the basis of compromise qua the present petitioners.

(SANJIV BERRY)
JUDGE

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| i) | Whether speaking/reasoned? | Yes/No |
| ii) | Whether reportable? | Yes/No |