



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

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**CRM-M No.44257 of 2024
Date of decision: 08.11.2024**

DAVINDER KAUR AND ANOTHER**.... Petitioners**

Versus

STATE OF PUNJAB AND ANOTHER**.... Respondents****CORAM: HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE MANISHA BATRA**

Present : Mr. Bhawesh Chaudhary, Advocate for the petitioners.

Mr. A.S. Samra, A.A.G., Punjab.

Mr. J.S. Ghumman, Advocate for respondent No.2.

MANISHA BATRA, J. (oral)

1. The present petition has been filed for quashing of FIR No.148, dated 09.12.2023 registered under Sections 448, 427, 380, 201 and 34 of IPC at Police Station Bhogpur, Jalandhar Rural, District Jalandhar along with all consequential proceedings arising therefrom, on the basis of compromise dated 22.08.2024 (Annexure P-2) arrived at between the parties.

2. This Court vide order dated 09.09.2024 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 Judicial Magistrate Ist Class, Jalandhar and got their statements recorded. On the basis of the statements so recorded, learned Judge has submitted report dated 30.09.2024 to the effect that the compromise has been



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

4. Power of Attorney filed on behalf of respondent No.2 is taken on record.

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

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

7. 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.148, dated 09.12.2023 registered under Sections 448, 427, 380, 201 and 34 of IPC at Police Station Bhogpur, Jalandhar Rural, District Jalandhar and all subsequent proceedings arising therefrom on the basis of compromise dated 22.08.2024 (Annexure P-2) are quashed qua the petitioners.

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(MANISHA BATRA)
JUDGE

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