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IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CRM-M-49036-2024

Date of Decision: 19.11.2024

GURPREET SINGH

.....PETITIONER

VERSUS

STATE OF PUNJAB AND OTHERS

.....RESPONDENTS

CORAM:- HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE MANISHA BATRA

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

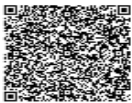
Mr. Satjot Singh, AAG, Punjab.

Mr. Ravi Kumar, Advocate for
Mr. Avinash Singh Advocate
for respondents No.2 to 4.

MANISHA BATRA, J (ORAL)

The present petition has been filed under Section 482 of Cr.P.C.
for quashing of FIR No.235 dated 02.09.2019 registered under Sections 279,
337, 338, 427 of IPC at Police Station Sardulgarh, District Mansa, and all the
subsequent proceedings arising therefrom, on the basis of compromise dated
18.09.2024 (Annexure P-2).

2 . This Court vide order dated 30.09.2024 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 Sub Divisional Judicial Magistrate, Sardulgarh and got their statements recorded. On the basis of the statements so recorded, learned Judge has submitted report dated 25.10.2024 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 respondents No.2 to 4 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.235 dated 02.09.2019 registered under Sections 279, 337, 338, 427 of IPC at Police Station Sardulgarh, District Mansa, all subsequent proceedings arising therefrom on the basis of compromise dated 18.09.2024 (Annexure P-2) are quashed qua the petitioner.

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JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned
Whether reportable

Yes/No
Yes/No