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IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

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Date of decision:07.11.2024

Arshdeep Singh @ Gora @ Billa and othersPetitioners.

Versus

State of Punjab and othersRespondents.

CORAM:- HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SANJIV BERRY

Present:- Mr. Anoop Singla, Advocate,
for the petitioners.

Mr. Adesh Pal Singh, AAG, Punjab.

Mr. Rahul Kumar Prasher, Advocate,
for Mr. B.B.S. Randhawa, Advocate,
for respondents No. 2 and 3.

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SANJIV BERRY, J. (ORAL)

Instant petition has been preferred seeking quashing of the
FIR (Annexure P-1), and all other subsequent proceedings arising
therefrom on the basis of compromise/affidavit dated 14.08.2024
(Annexure P-2) executed between the parties. Details of the FIR are as
under: -

FIR No.	Dated	Sections	Police Station
102	09.06.2023	365, 379-B, 323, 149 IPC	City South, Moga



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2. With the intervention of respectables and elderly people of the society, the parties have arrived at a settlement vide compromise deed dated 14.08.2024 (Annexure P-2), which is duly signed by them.

3. 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.

4. Learned Judicial Magistrate Ist Class, Moga, vide report dated 25.10.2024 has apprised this Court that the compromise arrived at between the parties is genuine and without any pressure. It is also reported that the petitioners have also deposited the cost, so imposed, vide order dated 03.10.2024.

5. Respondents Nos. 2 and 3 are represented by their counsel and do not oppose the compromise having been effected between them voluntarily and without any pressure.

6. In view of the aforesaid report of learned Judicial Magistrate Ist Class, Moga, dated 25.10.2024, 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 with the criminal proceedings pending, since the respondents have themselves compromised the dispute with the petitioners/ accused persons.



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7. In the circumstances, the present petition is allowed. FIR No. 102 dated 09.06.2023, under Sections 365, 379-B, 323, 149 IPC, registered at Police Station City South Moga, as mentioned below and all consequential proceedings arising therefrom, are hereby quashed on the basis of compromise qua the present petitioners.

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(SANJIV BERRY)
JUDGE

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