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

CRM-M-53411-2024**Date of Decision: 25.11.2024**

Baldev Singh and others

...Petitioners

vs.

State of Punjab and another

...Respondents

Coram : Hon'ble Mr. Justice N.S.Shekhawat

Present : Mr. L.S.Bhullar, Advocate
for the petitioners.

Mr. I.P.S. Sabharwal, DAG, Punjab.

Mr. Manna Singh, Advocate
for respondent No.2.

N.S.Shekhawat J. (Oral)

1. The instant petition has been filed under Section 482 of Cr.P.C. for quashing of FIR No. 15 dated 03.06.2018 registered under Sections 324, 323, 34 of IPC and Section 326 of IPC which was added later on vide Rapat No.15 dated 16.08.2018, at Police Station City Zira, District Ferozepur (Annexure P-1) and all subsequent proceedings arising therefrom on the basis of compromise dated 19.09.2024 (Annexure P-2).

2. Vide order dated 25.10.2024, this Court had directed the parties to appear before the Illaqa Magistrate/trial Magistrate for getting their statements recorded with respect to the compromise dated 19.09.2024 (Annexure P-2).

3. Pursuant to aforesaid order, the parties have appeared before the Sub-Divisional Judicial Magistrate, Zira and got their statements recorded.



Report dated 19.11.2024 has been received whereby after recording the statements of the parties, the Court below has shown its satisfaction that the compromise is genuine, voluntary and without any coercion or undue influence.

4. I have heard counsel for the parties and gone through the case file.

5. In the light of the satisfaction shown by the Court below and considering the offence for which the accused have been charged are not of serious nature, together with the fact that compromise will go a long way in ironing out the differences for betterment of future life of the parties and also in view of the law laid down in **Gian Singh Vs. State of Punjab and another, 2012 (4) RCR (Criminal) 543** and **Kulwinder Singh and others Vs. State of Punjab 2007(3) RCR (Criminal) 1052**, the present petition for quashing the FIR is allowed qua the petitioners.

6. Resultantly, FIR No. 15 dated 03.06.2018 registered under Sections 324, 323, 34 of IPC and Section 326 of IPC which was added later on vide Rapat No.15 dated 16.08.2018, at Police Station City Zira, District Ferozepur (Annexure P-1) and all subsequent proceedings arising therefrom on the basis of compromise dated 19.09.2024 (Annexure P-2) are hereby quashed qua the petitioners.

(N.S.SHEKHAWAT)
JUDGE

25.11.2024.
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Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No
Whether reportable : Yes/No