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IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA  
AT CHANDIGARH

CRM-M-60108-2023 (O&M)

Date of Decision: 18.04.2024

DHARMINDER SINGH

... PETITIONER

V/S

STATE OF PUNJAB AND ANOTHER

... RESPONDENTS

CORAM: HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE HARPREET KAUR JEEWAN

Present: Mr. J.S. Gill, Advocate, for the petitioner.  
Mr. Davinder Bir Singh, Sr. DAG, Punjab.  
Mr. Pardeep Kumar, Advocate for respondent No. 2.

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HARPREET KAUR JEEWAN, J. (ORAL)

[1] The present petition has been filed under Section 482 Cr.P.C. for quashing of FIR No.191 dated 22.11.2022, registered at Police Station Fatehgarh Sahib, District Fatehgarh Sahib under Sections 354-D, 341, 506 of the IPC on the basis of compromise dated 22.11.2023 (Annexure P-2) between the parties.

[2] Learned counsel for the petitioner *inter alia* contends that the FIR was registered at the instance of respondent No.2 on the allegation that the petitioner was harassing and threatening her and he was also pressuring her to perform marriage with the petitioner. Now with the intervention of the respectables, the said dispute has been amicably settled between the parties and as such, respondent No.2 does not want to take any action in the said FIR.

[3] Learned counsel appearing on behalf of respondent No. 2 has confirmed the factum of compromise between the parties.

[4] On 30.11.2023, the parties were directed to appear before the trial Court/Illaqa Magistrate for recording of their statements regarding the

[5] As per the report dated 05.02.2024, received from the learned Judicial Magistrate First Class, Fatehgarh Sahib the compromise effected between the parties is genuine, voluntary and without any coercion or undue influence. The petitioner has not been declared as “Proclaimed Offender”. Initially, the FIR was registered under Sections 354-D, 341, 506 of the IPC and later on, Section 384 IPC was added.

[6] Learned State counsel has not raised any objection regarding the acceptance of the present petition.

[7] Keeping in view the facts and circumstances of the case, the fact that the compromise between the parties is genuine and voluntarily made and in view of the ratio of the decision of Hon’ble Apex Court in *Gian Singh Versus State of Punjab (SC) 2012 (4) RCR (Criminal) 543* and the decision of Hon’ble the Full Bench of this Court in *Kulwinder Singh and others vs. State of Punjab and others 2007 (3) RCR (Criminal) 1052,* the ends of justice would meet if the FIR and consequential proceedings are quashed by accepting the compromise between the parties.

[8] Consequently, this petition is allowed and FIR No. 191 dated 22.11.2022, registered at Police Station Fatehgarh Sahib, District Fatehgarh Sahib under Sections 354-D, 341, 506 of the IPC and all the subsequent proceedings emanating therefrom are ordered to be quashed, qua the petitioner.

[9] Pending miscellaneous application(s), if any, shall also stand disposed of.

**18.04.2024**

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**(HARPREET KAUR JEEWAN)**  
**JUDGE**

*Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No*

*Whether reportable : Yes/No*