



IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

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CRM-M-5378-2025 (O&M)

Date of decision:24.12.2025

Davinder Singh Saini

... Petitioner

Vs.

State of Punjab and others

... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE MANISHA BATRA.

Present: Ms. Shreya Rana, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Durgesh Garg, AAG, Punjab

Mr. Parvesh, Advocate

Mr. Ajay Pal Singh Rehan, Advocate for respondent No.2 & 3.

MANISHA BATRA, J. (ORAL).

1. The present petition has been filed under Section 528 of Bharatiya Nagrik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023 (for short-‘BNSS’) for quashing of FIR No.0039 dated 24.04.2024 registered under Sections 406 and 420 of IPC, at Police Station Haryana, District Hoshiarpur and all the subsequent proceedings arising therefrom, on the basis of compromise dated 16.08.2024 (Annexure P-2).

2. This Court vide order dated 12.11.2025 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 First Class, Hoshiarpur and got their statements



recorded. On the basis of the statements so recorded, learned Judge has submitted report dated 08.12.2025 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 respondent No.2 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.0039 dated 24.04.2024 registered under Sections 406 and 420 of IPC, at Police Station Haryana, District Hoshiarpur and all the subsequent proceedings arising therefrom, on the basis of compromise dated 16.08.2024 (Annexure P-2) are quashed qua the petitioner.

24.12.2025

Amit Sharma

(MANISHA BATRA)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned :

Yes/No

Whether reportable :

Yes/No