



IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

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CRM-M-7710-2024
Date of decision: 19.11.2025

LOVEPREET SINGH

....Petitioner

Versus

STATE OF PUNJAB AND ANOTHER

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE YASHVIR SINGH RATHOR

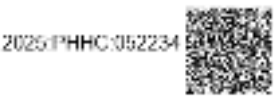
Present : Mr. Neeraj Jain, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Rahul Jindal, AAG, Punjab.

Mr. Gagandeep Singh, Advocate for
Ms. Apoorva Arya, Advocate for respondent No.2.

YASHVIR SINGH RATHOR. J.(Oral)

1. Prayer in this petition filed under Section 528 of Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023 is for quashing of F.I.R. No.55 dated 26.04.2019, registered under Sections 406, 420, 120-B of IPC at Police Station Phase 11, Mohali and all subsequent proceedings arising therefrom on the basis of compromise.
2. This Court had directed the parties to appear before the Trial Court/Illaq Magistrate to get their statements recorded and the learned Magistrate was directed to send his/her report qua the genuineness of the compromise.
3. Pursuant to the aforesaid order, parties had appeared before learned Judicial Magistrate First Class, SAS Nagar Mohali and got their statements recorded. On the basis of the statements so recorded, learned Magistrate has submitted report dated 13.08.2025 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 learned counsel for respondent No.2 have not disputed the factum of compromise between the parties.

5. The compromise was earlier effected with one of the co-accused namely Davinder Singh and *qua* him FIR has already been quashed, vide order dated 18.12.2023 (Annexure P-3).

6. In view of the above, no useful purpose would be served by continuing with the proceedings before the trial Court in the instant F.I.R. following the principles laid down by the Full Bench judgment of this Court in 2007 (3) RCR (Criminal) 1052 titled as '*Kulwinder Singh and others Versus State of Punjab and another*' and approved by the Hon'ble Supreme Court in (2012) 10 SCC 303 titled as '*Gian Singh Versus State of Punjab and others*'. Accordingly, the present petition is allowed and the F.I.R. No.55 dated 26.04.2019, registered under Sections 406, 420, 120-B of IPC at Police Station Phase 11, Mohali and all subsequent proceedings arising therefrom all subsequent proceedings arising therefrom are hereby quashed on the basis of compromise arrived at between the parties.

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(YASHVIR SINGH RATHOR)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned. : Yes/No
Whether Reportable. : Yes/No