



**IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH.**

CRM-M-8211-2025

Date of Decision:-08.05.2025

Charanjeet Singh & Ors.

.....Petitioners.

Versus

State of Punjab & Anr.

.....Respondents.

CORAM:- HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JASJIT SINGH BEDI

Present:- Mr. R.S. Sekhon, Advocate for the Petitioners.

Mr. Kunwarbir Singh, Assistant Advocate General, Punjab.

Mr. B.S. Aulakh, Advocate for respondent no.2.

JASJIT SINGH BEDI, J.(ORAL)

The Prayer in this petition under Section 482 Cr.PC is for quashing of FIR No.229 dated 27.10.2024 under Sections 115(2), 126(2), 351(2), 3(5) of the Bhartiya Nyaya Sanhita, 2023 (Section 118(2) of the BNSS, 2023 added later on) registered at Police Station Sadar, Ludhiana, District Ludhiana and all consequential proceedings arising therefrom on the basis of compromise dated 27.01.2025 (Annexure P-2) arrived at between the parties.

Vide order dated 14.02.2025 this Court had directed the parties to appear before Illaqa Magistrate for getting their statements recorded in terms of certain parameters given in the aforesaid order dated 14.02.2025 with regard to the compromise dated 27.01.2025 (Annexure P-2).

In terms of the orders dated 14.02.2025 passed by this Court parties have appeared before the court of Judicial Magistrate Ist Class



(Duty), Ludhiana Amritsar and as per report dated 29.03.2025 submitted to this Court, both the parties have got recorded their respective statements in Court.

Perusal of the aforesaid report would show that the parties have effected a genuine compromise without there being any pressure, coercion or undue influence. In view of the compromise there is a remote possibility of the complainant coming forward to support the prosecution case. The powers under Section 482 Cr.PC can be exercised in such like situation in order to prevent unnecessary vagaries of criminal trial to be faced by the parties, when there are remote chances of conviction of the accused. The compromise in question is found to be fully in consonance with the direction issued by the Court in *Kulwinder Singh & Ors. Vs. State of Punjab 2007(3) RCR (Criminal) 1052* and *Gian Singh Vs. State of Punjab & Anr., 2012(4) RCR (Crl.) 543*.

In view of the aforesaid report of the learned Judicial Magistrate Ist Class (Duty), Ludhiana accompanied by statements of both the parties, the FIR No.229 dated 27.10.2024 under Sections 115(2), 126(2), 351(2), 3(5) of the Bhartiya Nyaya Sanhita, 2023 (Section 118(2) of the BNSS, 2023 added later on) registered at Police Station Sadar, Ludhiana, District Ludhiana and all consequential proceedings arising therefrom are hereby quashed.

Petition stands disposed of.

(JASJIT SINGH BEDI)
JUDGE

May 08, 2025
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Whether speaking/reasoned	Yes/No
Whether reportable	Yes/No