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

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Date of decision : 15.07.2025

Sukhpal Singh and another

... Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and another

.. Respondents

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE H.S.GREWAL

Present:- Mr. P. S. Dhaliwal, Advocate, for the petitioners.

Mr. Manvir Singh Toor, AAG, Punjab.

Mr. Supneet Singh, Advocate,
for the complainant/respondent No.2.

H.S. GREWAL, J.(Oral)

1. The present petition has been filed under Section 528 BNSS, 2023, for quashing of FIR No.98 dated 29.11.2024 under Sections 333, 133, 115(2), 3(5) of BNS 2023 (and Sections 109, 238 BNS has been added lateron) registered at Police Station Bhadaur, District Barnala (Annexure P-1) along with all subsequent proceedings arising therefrom as per compromise dated 24.02.2025 (Annexure P-2).
2. This Court vide order dated 10.03.2025 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 Additional Chief Judicial Magistrate, Barnala, and got their statements



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recorded. On the basis of the statements so recorded, learned Magistrate has submitted copy of report dated 16.05.2025 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 has 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.98 dated 29.11.2024 under Sections 333, 133, 115(2), 3(5) of BNS 2023 (and Sections 109, 238 BNS has been added lateron), registered at Police Station Bhadaur, District Barnala, and all the subsequent proceedings arising therefrom, are quashed qua the petitioners on the basis of compromise dated 24.02.2025 (Annexure P-2), however, subject to payment of Rs.5,000/- as costs to be deposited with the High Court Legal Services Committee, Punjab and Haryana High Court, Chandigarh.

(H.S.GREWAL)
JUDGE

15.07.2025

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