

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

2025:PHHC:099138



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CRM-M-22333-2025 (O&M)

Date of Decision: 04.08.2025.

Surinder Singh and others

....Petitioners.

Versus

State of Punjab and another

...Respondents.

CORAM: HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE SUKHVINDER KAUR

Present: Mr. Rahul Garg, Advocate for the petitioners.

Mr. Ravneet Singh Lekhi, AAG, Punjab.

Mr. Naveen Batra, Advocate for respondent No.2.

SUKHVINDER KAUR, J. (Oral)

The present petition has been filed under Section 528 of Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023 for quashing of FIR No.148 dated 24.11.2022 under Sections 323, 324, 34 of IPC, registered at Police Station Anandpur Sahib, District Rupnagar and all the subsequent proceedings arising therefrom, on the basis of compromise dated 06.02.2025 (Annexure P-2).

2. This Court vide order dated 23.05.2025 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 Ist Class, Sri Anandpur Sahib and got their statements recorded. On the basis of the statements so recorded, learned

Magistrate has submitted report dated 31.07.2025 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.148 dated 24.11.2022 under Sections 323, 324, 34 of IPC, registered at Police Station Anandpur Sahib, District Rupnagar and all subsequent proceedings arising therefrom, on the basis of compromise dated 06.02.2025 (Annexure P-2) are quashed qua the petitioners.

(SUKHVINDER KAUR)
JUDGE

04.08.2025

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