



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

**CRM-M-27681-2023
Date of decision: 19.08.2025**

RAJINDER KAUR

...Petitioner

VERSUS

STATE OF PUNJAB AND ANOTHER

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE YASHVIR SINGH RATHOR

Present: Mr. Rishabh Gupta, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Gorav Kathuria, DAG Punjab.

Mr. Naresh Kumar, Advocate
for respondent No.2.

YASHVIR SINGH RATHOR, J. (Oral)

1. Prayer in this petition is for quashing of Kalandra dated 17.11.2020 registered under Section 182 of IPC pending before Ld. trial Court, Hoshiarpur alongwith GD No.26 dated 17.11.2020 at Police Station Model Town, District Hoshiarpur, order framing charge dated 10.12.2021 passed by Ld. Trial Court and all subsequent proceedings emanating from the said Kalandra.

2. The above stated Kalandra was registered on the statement of the respondent No.2-Krishan Dass against the petitioner.

3. Upon notice of motion, respondent No.2 appeared in the Court through his counsel and pleaded that he has no objection if the



Kalandra in this case is quashed on the basis of the aforesaid compromise which has been effected between the parties.

4. During the course of preliminary hearing, the trial Court/Illaqa Magistrate was directed to record the statements of the all the concerned parties with regard to genuineness and validity or otherwise of the aforesaid compromise.

5. In compliance thereof, report from the Court of Judicial Magistrate First Class, Hoshiarpur along with statements of the parties has been received, in which, it is mentioned that the compromise is genuine and there was no undue influence or coercion from any side.

6. I have heard learned counsel for the parties.

7. Learned counsel for the petitioner and for respondent No.2 are *ad idem* that in view of the settlement effected between the parties, the present petition deserves to be accepted. It has also come on record that the aforesaid compromise is genuine and the parties entered into the same without any undue influence or coercion.

8. In view of above, nothing remains to be adjudicated further in the present case. The present Kalandra has arisen from the matrimonial dispute between the parties which has been settled and thus, continuation of the criminal proceedings between the parties would be a futile exercise and sheer wastage of time of the Court and thus, amount to abuse of process of law.

9. For the reasons aforestated and having regard to the law laid down by Hon'ble Apex Court in **Gian Singh v. State of Punjab and**



another, 2012 (4) RCR (Criminal) 543 and Five Judges Bench of this Court in **Kulwinder Singh and others v. State of Punjab and another**, 2007(3) RCR (Criminal) 1052, this petition is allowed and Kalandra dated 17.11.2020 registered under Section 182 of IPC pending before Ld. trial Court, Hoshiarpur alongwith GD No.26 dated 17.11.2020 at Police Station Model Town, District Hoshiarpur, order framing charge dated 10.12.2021 passed by Ld. Trial Court and all the subsequent proceedings are hereby quashed qua the petitioner.

19.08.2025

Priyanka Thakur

(YASHVIR SINGH RATHOR)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned :
Whether Reportable :

Yes
Yes

No
No