



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

CRM-M-26623-2025 (O&M)

Date of Decision: 17.07.2025

LABH SINGH AND OTHERS

...Petitioners

V/S

STATE OF PUNJAB AND OTHERS

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARPREET SINGH BRAR

Present: Mr. Karan Singla, Advocate
for the petitioners.

Mr. Rishabh Singla, AAG Punjab.

Ms. Malvi Aggarwal, Advocate
for respondents No. 2 and 3.

HARPREET SINGH BRAR J. (Oral)

1. This petition has been filed under Section 528 of Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023 seeking quashing of FIR No.0145 dated 09.09.2024 under Sections 115(2)/118(1)/3(5) of Bhartiya Nyaya Sanhita, 2023 (hereinafter to be referred as 'BNS') registered at Police Station Basti Bawa Khel, District Police Commissionerate, Jalandhar (Annexure P-1) along with all subsequent proceedings arising therefrom on the basis of compromise dated 16.04.2025 (Annexure P-2).

2. The following order was passed on 15.05.2025:

"This petition has been filed under Section 528 of Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023 seeking quashing of FIR No.0145 dated 09.09.2024 under Sections 115(2)/118(1)/3(5) of BNS registered at Police Station Basti Bawa Khel, District Police Commissionerate, Jalandhar (Annexure P-1) along with all subsequent proceedings arising therefrom on the basis of compromise dated 16.04.2025 (Annexure P-2).

Notice of motion for 17.07.2025.



At this stage, on the asking of the Court, Mr. Subhash Godara, Addl.A.G., Punjab accepts notice on behalf of respondent No.1-State and Ms. Malvika Aggarwal, Advocate accepts notice for respondents No.2 & 3 and files her power of attorney and admits to the factum of compromise. Copy of the paper book be supplied to them during the course of day.

Service is complete.

In the meanwhile, the parties are directed to appear before the learned trial Court/Illaq Magistrate within two weeks from today or any other date convenient to the trial Court/Illaq Magistrate, to get their statements recorded regarding compromise and after recording their statements, learned trial Court/Illaq Magistrate is directed to send report regarding the genuineness of compromise and also to intimate whether any PO proceedings are pending against any of the party on or before the date fixed.

A copy of the order be sent to learned trial Court/Illaq Magistrate through fax for compliance.”

3. In compliance of the aforesaid order, a report has been received from the concerned jurisdictional Court that the compromise between the parties is genuine and arrived at without any pressure or coercion from anyone.

4. In view of the compromise and the ratio of law laid down by the Hon'ble Supreme Court in **Narinder Singh and others vs. State of Punjab and another, (2014) 6 SCC 466** and **Shakuntala Sawhney (Mrs) Vs. Kaushalya (Mrs.) and others (1980) 1 SCC 63** and Full Bench of this Court in **Kulwinder Singh Vs. State of Punjab 2007 (3) RCR (Crl.) 1052**, this petition is allowed and FIR No. 0145 dated 09.09.2024 under Sections 115(2)/118(1)/3(5) of BNS registered at Police Station Basti Bawa Khel,

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District Police Commissionerate, Jalandhar along with all subsequent proceedings arising therefrom are quashed, qua the petitioners.

17.07.2025

Ajay Goswami

(HARPREET SINGH BRAR)

JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned

Yes/No

Whether reportable

Yes/No