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

CRM-M-27341-2025

Date of Decision: 19.09.2025

Kunal Khurana

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and another

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE AARADHNA SAWHNEY

Present: Mr. Keshav Pratapl Singh, Advocate and
Mr. Ekteshwar Sidhu, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Gautam Thapar, Sr. DAG, Punjab.

Mr. Nikhil Chopra, Advocate for the complainant.

AARADHNA SAWHNEY, J. (ORAL)

1. The present petition has been filed under Section 482 Cr.PC seeking quashing of FIR No.32 dated 20.06.2024 registered under Sections 406/420 of IPC at Police Station City Banga, District Shaheed Bhagat Singh Nagar, (Annexure P-1) along with all subsequent proceedings arising therefrom, on the basis of compromise dated 06.05.2025 (Annexure P-2).

2. With the intervention of respectables and elderly people of the society, the parties have arrived at a settlement vide compromise deed dated 06.05.2025 (Annexure P-2), which is duly signed by them. The matter was referred to the Court below for recording of statements of the parties and to report with respect to genuineness of the compromise arrived at between the parties. The learned trial Court vide report dated 13.06.2025 has apprised this Court that the compromise arrived at between the parties is genuine and without any pressure.

3. Respondent No.2 is represented by his counsel and admits the factum of compromise.

4. In view of the aforesaid report of the trial Court and in view of the decision of the Hon'ble Supreme Court in “Gian Singh Vs. State of Punjab and another”, 2012(4) RCR (Criminal) 543 and “Narinder Singh and Others Vs. State of Punjab and Another”, (2014) 6 SCC 466, this Court is of the opinion that no useful purpose will be served by keeping the criminal proceedings pending, since the complainant has himself compromised the dispute with the petitioner/ accused persons.

5. In the circumstances, the present petition is allowed. FIR No.32 dated 20.06.2024, under Sections 406/420 of IPC registered at Police Station City Banga, District Shaheed Bhagat Singh Nagar (**Annexure P-1**) and all consequential proceedings arising therefrom, are hereby quashed on the basis of compromise qua the present petitioner.

19.09.2025

Parveen kumar

(AARADHNA SAWHNEY)
JUDGE

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