

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

2025.PHHC.119107



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**CRM-M-28939-2025**

**Date of decision: 03.09.2025**

**Kulwant Singh**

**...Petitioner**

**VERSUS**

**State of Punjab and Anr.**

**...Respondents**

**CORAM : HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE SUKHVINDER KAUR**

Present: Mr. Anish Verma, Advocate for the petitioner (through VC).

Mr. Ravneet Singh Lekhi, AAG, Punjab.

Mr. Mukesh Kumar Sharma, Advocate  
for respondent No2.

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**SUKHVINDER KAUR, J.(ORAL)**

The present petition under Section 528 BNSS, 2023, is for quashing of FIR No.161 dated 16.08.2024, under Sections 126(2), 115(2) of BNS, 2023, registered at Police Station Khanna City-2, District Khanna, along with all other subsequent proceedings arising therefrom, on the basis of compromise deed dated 21.03.2025 (Annexure P2).

This Court vide order dated 26.05.2025 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 genuineness of the compromise.

Pursuant to the aforesaid order, parties appeared before the learned Sub Divisional Judicial Magistrate, Khanna, and got their statements recorded. On the basis of statements so recorded, learned Magistrate has submitted his report dated 19.07.2025 vide which he has submitted that as per the statement of the parties, the compromise dated 21.03.2025 effected

between them appears to be genuine, voluntary and without any coercion or undue influence.

Learned State Counsel as well as counsel for respondent No. 2 have not disputed the factum of compromise between the parties.

In view of the above, no useful purpose would be served to continue with the proceedings before the trial Court in the instant FIR No.161 dated 16.08.2024.

Following the principles laid down by the Full Bench Judgment of this Court in *Kulwinder Singh and others Vs. State of Punjab and another* 2007(3) RCR (Criminal) 1052 and approved by the Hon'ble Supreme Court in *Gian Singh Vs. State of Punjab and others* (2012) 10 SCC 303, the present petition is allowed and FIR No.161 dated 16.08.2024, under Sections 126(2), 115(2) of BNS, 2023, registered at Police Station Khanna City-2, District Khanna, and all subsequent proceedings arising therefrom, on the basis of compromise dated 21.03.2025 (Annexure P-2) are quashed qua the petitioner.

03.09.2025

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*Whether reasoned/speaking?*  
*Whether reportable?*

(SUKHVINDER KAUR)  
JUDGE

*Yes/No*  
*Yes/No*