

2025:PHHC:149683



IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

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CRM-M-34716-2025 (O&M)
Date of decision: October 30, 2025

HARSH KUMAR AND OTHERS

...Petitioners

Versus

STATE OF PUNJAB AND OTHERS

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE SUKHVINDER KAUR

Present: Mr. Bhupinder Banga, Advocate
for the petitioners.

Mr. Ravneet Singh Lekhi, AAG, Punjab.

Mr. Tushar Madaan, Advocate
for respondent No.2.

SUKHVINDER KAUR, J. (ORAL)

CRM-25178-2025

For the reasons mentioned in the instant application, the same is allowed, and the petitioner is exempted from filing certified copies of Annexures and from placing on record more legible copies of photocopies of vernaculars of Annexures as well as ID proof of complainant/victim/respondents appended to the petition.

The instant application stands disposed of.

Main case

1. The present petition has been filed under Section 528 of the Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita for quashing of F.I.R. No. 103 dated 11.07.2021 (Annexure P-1) under Sections 324, 323, 148, 149 of the IPC, 1860 (Section 201 IPC added later on), registered at Police Station



Garhshankar, District Hoshiarpur on basis of compromise/Agreement dated 13.06.2025 (Annexure P-2).

2. This Court vide order dated 16.09.2025 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 Sub Divisional Judicial Magistrate, Garhshankar and got their statements recorded. On the basis of the statements so recorded, learned Magistrate has submitted report dated 13.10.2025 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 by continuing 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 F.I.R. No. 103 dated 11.07.2021 under Sections 324, 323, 148, 149 of the IPC, 1860 (Section 201 IPC added later on), registered at Police Station Garhshankar, District Hoshiarpur, is quashed

qua the petitioners, along with all consequential proceedings arising therefrom, on basis of compromise/Agreement dated 13.06.2025 (Annexure P-2).

7. Pending application(s), if any, shall also stand disposed of along with the present petition.

October 30, 2025

Jaspreet Kaur

(SUKHVINDER KAUR)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned : *Yes/No*

Whether reportable : *Yes/No*