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

CRM-M-44906-2025

Date of Decision: 11.11.2025

SUBHASH CHANDER MAHAJAN & ANR

..... Petitioners

Versus

STATE OF PUNJAB AND ANOTHER

..... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE YASHVIR SINGH RATHOR

Present : Mr. G.P.S. Pathania, Advocate
for the petitioners.

Mr. Rohit Hans, DAG, Punjab.

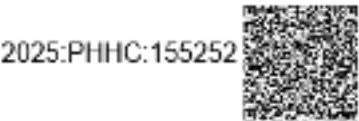
Mr. Virender Partap Singh, Advocate
for respondent No.2.

YASHVIR SINGH RATHOR, J. (Oral)

1. Prayer in this petition filed under Section 528 of Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023 is for quashing of F.I.R. No.43 dated 04.04.2022, registered under Sections 420, 417, 406 and 120-B of IPC at Police Station Sujanpur, District Pathankot and all subsequent proceedings arising therefrom on the basis of compromise.

2. This Court vide order dated 19.08.2025 had directed the parties to appear before the Trial Court/Illaqa Magistrate to get their statements recorded and the learned Magistrate was directed to send his/her report qua the genuineness of the compromise.

3. Pursuant to the aforesaid order, parties have appeared before learned Chief Judicial Magistrate, Pathankot and got their statements recorded. On the basis of the statements so recorded, learned Magistrate



has submitted report dated 03.10.2025 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 learned 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 with the proceedings before the trial Court in the instant F.I.R. following the principles laid down by the Full Bench judgment of this Court in 2007 (3) RCR (Criminal) 1052 titled as '*Kulwinder Singh and others Versus State of Punjab and another*' and approved by the Hon'ble Supreme Court in (2012) 10 SCC 303 titled as '*Gian Singh Versus State of Punjab and others*'. Accordingly, the present petition is allowed and the F.I.R. No.43 dated 04.04.2022, registered under Sections 420, 417, 406 and 120-B of IPC at Police Station Sujampur, District Pathankot and all subsequent proceedings arising therefrom are hereby quashed on the basis of compromise arrived at between the parties.

(YASHVIR SINGH RATHOR)
JUDGE

11.11.2025
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Whether speaking/reasoned	Yes/No
Whether Reportable	Yes/No