



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

CRM-M-56162-2025

Date of Decision: 19.11.2025

GURBAX SINGH @ GURBAKSH SINGH & ORS Petitioners

Versus

STATE OF PUNJAB & ANR ... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE YASHVIR SINGH RATHOR

Present : Mr. Sukhmeet Singh, Advocate
for the petitioners.

Mr. Rohit Hans, DAG, Punjab.

Ms. Sunita Devi, 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.151 dated 03.12.2020, registered under Sections 452, 325, 323 and 34 of IPC at Police Station Sadar Kotkapura, District Faridkot (Annexure P-1) and judgment & order of sentence dated 20.03.2025 passed by Id. ACJM, Faridkot (Annexure P-2) and all subsequent proceedings arising therefrom on the basis of compromise.

2. This Court vide order dated 08.10.2025 had directed the parties to appear before the Trial Court/Illaq 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 Additional Chief Judicial Magistrate, Faridkot and got their statements recorded. On the basis of the statements so recorded, learned Magistrate has submitted report dated 13.11.2025 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 to continue with the proceedings before the trial Court in the instant F.I.R. following the principles laid down by this Court in 2013 (4) RCR (Criminal) 102 titled as ‘*Sube Singh and another versus State of Haryana and another*’ and the Hon'ble Supreme Court in Criminal Appeal No.1393 of 2011, LL 2021 SC 589 titled as ‘*Ramawtar Versus State of Madhya Pradesh*’ decided on 25.10.2021, this petition is allowed and judgment & order of sentence dated 20.03.2025 passed by Id. ACJM, Faridkot (Annexure P-2) is set aside and offences under Sections 452, 325, 323 and 34 of IPC are compounded *qua* the petitioners on the basis of compromise.

(YASHVIR SINGH RATHOR)
JUDGE

19.11.2025
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Whether speaking/reasoned	Yes/No
Whether Reportable	Yes/No