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2025-PHHC-015870



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

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Date of Decision: 03.02.2025

DARSHAN SINGH AND ORS.

...PETITIONERS

Versus

STATE OF PUNJAB AND ANR

... RESPONDENTS

**CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE N. S. SHEKHAWAT**

Present: Mr. Mohit Giri, Advocate  
for the petitioners.

Mr. Deepinder Singh Brar, Sr. DAG, Punjab.

Mr. Vineet Kumar Jakhar, Advocate  
for respondent No.2.

**N. S. SHEKHAWAT, J. (Oral)**

1. The instant petition has been filed under Section 528 Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023 for quashing of an FIR No.0008 dated 13.06.2017 under Sections 420 & 120 of IPC and Section 66(D) of Information Technology Act, registered at Police Station Punjab State Cyber Crime Police (Annexure P-1) alongwith all the consequential proceedings arising therefrom on the basis of compromise/affidavit dated 15.11.2024 (Annexure P-2).



2. Vide order dated 17.12.2024, while issuing notice of motion, this Court had directed the parties to appear before the Illaqa Magistrate/trial Magistrate for getting their statements recorded with respect to the compromise dated 15.11.2024 (Annexure P-2).

3. Pursuant to aforesaid order, the parties have appeared before the learned Judicial Magistrate 1<sup>st</sup> Class, SAS Nagar (Mohali) and got their statements recorded. Report dated 29.01.2025 has been received whereby after recording the statements of the parties, the Court below has shown its satisfaction that the compromise is genuine, voluntary and without any coercion or undue influence.

4. I have heard counsel for the parties and gone through the case file.

5. In the light of the satisfaction shown by the Court below and considering the offence for which the accused have been charged are not of serious nature, together with the fact that compromise will go a long way in ironing out the differences for betterment of future life of the parties and also in view of the law laid down in **Gian Singh Vs. State of Punjab and another, 2012 (4) RCR (Criminal) 543** and **Kulwinder Singh and others Vs. State of Punjab 2007(3) RCR (Criminal) 1052**, the present petition for quashing the FIR is allowed qua the petitioners.

6. Resultantly, FIR No.0008 dated 13.06.2017 under Sections 420 & 120 of IPC and Section 66(D) of Information



Technology Act, registered at Police Station Punjab State Cyber  
Crime Police (Annexure P-1) alongwith all consequential  
proceedings arising therefrom are hereby quashed qua the  
petitioners.

03.02.2025  
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(N. S. SHEKHAWAT)  
JUDGE

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