



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

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**CRM-M No.64046 of 2024
Date of decision: 01.03.2025**

RAJJIT SACHDEVA ALIAS RAJAT SACHDEVA AND OTHERS
.... Petitioners
Versus
STATE OF PUNJAB AND OTHERS
.... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE MANISHA BATRA

Present : Mr. Rajt Verma, Advocate for
Mr. Davinder Singh Khurana, Advocate for the petitioners.

Ms. Swati Batra, D.A.G., Punjab.

Mr. Fateh Sahola, Advocate for Mr. Vipul Babutta, Advocate
for respondents No.2 and 3.

MANISHA BATRA, J. (oral)

1. The present petition has been filed under Section 528 of Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023 (for short-'BNSS') for quashing of FIR No.120 dated 23.08.2024 registered under Sections 109, 118(1), 115(2), 191(3), 190, 132, 221 of Bharatiya Nyaya Sanhita, 2023 (for short-'BNS') (Section 109 of BNS deleted later on), at Police Station City Jalalabad, District Fazilka and all the subsequent proceedings arising therefrom, on the basis of compromise dated 09.11.2024 (Annexure P-2).

2. This Court vide order dated 19.12.2024 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.



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3. Pursuant to the aforesaid order, parties have appeared before the learned Sub Divisional Judicial Magistrate, Jalalabad and got their statements recorded. On the basis of the statements so recorded, learned Magistrate has submitted original report dated 17.02.2025 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 respondents No.2 and 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 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 120 dated 23.08.2024 registered under Sections 109, 118(1), 115(2), 191(3), 190, 132, 221 of Bharatiya Nyaya Sanhita, 2023 (for short-'BNS') (Section 109 of BNS deleted later on), at Police Station City Jalalabad, District Fazilka and all subsequent proceedings arising therefrom on the basis of compromise dated 09.11.2024 (Annexure P-2) are quashed qua the petitioners.

01.03.2025

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JUDGE

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