



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

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CRM-M-21472-2026

Date of Decision: 26.05.2026

NITIN SHUKLA

.....Petitioner

Vs.

STATE OF PUNJAB AND ANOTHER

.....Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE MANISHA BATRA

Present: Mr. Shivam Sharma, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Durgesh Garg, AAG, Punjab
for respondent No.1.

Mr. Rupinderjeet Singh, Advocate
for respondent No.2.

MANISHA BATRA J. (Oral)

1. The present petition has been filed under Section 528 BNSS, 2023/482 Cr.P.C for quashing of FIR No.0073 dated 13.06.2025 registered under Section 281, 125(a), 324(a) of the BNS, 2023 (Section 279, 337, 425 IPC) at Police Station I.T City, District SAS Nagar along with all the consequential proceedings arising therefrom, on the basis of compromise dated 12.03.2026 (Annexure P-2).

2. This Court vide order dated 21.04.2026 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 Illaqa Magistrate-cum-Judicial Magistrate 1st Class, SAS Nagar, Mohali and got their statements recorded. On the basis of the statements so



recorded, learned Magistrate has submitted report dated 22.05.2026 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 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 FIR No.0073 dated 13.06.2025 registered under Section 281, 125(a), 324(a) of the BNS, 2023 (Section 279, 337, 425 IPC) at Police Station I.T City, District SAS Nagar along with all consequential proceedings arising therefrom on the basis of compromise dated 12.03.2026 (Annexure P-2) are quashed qua the petitioner.

26.05.2026

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(MANISHA BATRA)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/non-speaking : Yes/No
Whether reportable : Yes/No