In the High Court for the States of Punjab and Haryana at Chandigarh

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CRM-M-48368-2025 (O&M)
Date of Decision:- 02.02.2026

Harpinder Singh Chatha … Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana and another ... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SUBHAS MEHLA

Present:- Mr. Sandeep Singh, Advocate for
Ms. Loveinder Kaur, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

Mr. Vikram Singh, AAG, Haryana.

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SUBHAS MEHLA, J. (Oral)

1. Prayer in this petition is for quashing of FIR No.218 dated 19.06.2025 registered under Sections 419 and 420 of IPC at Police Station Cyber West, Gururgram, District Gurugram, and all subsequent proceedings arising therefrom on the basis of compromise dated 14.08.2025 (Annexure P-2) arrived at between the parties.

2. The above stated FIR was registered on the statement of the complainant/respondent No.2.

3. Mr. Govind Rana, Advocate putting in appearance on behalf of respondent No.2, has filed power of attorney, which is taken on record. Respondent No.2 through his counsel pleaded that he has no objection if the FIR in this case is quashed on the basis of the aforesaid compromise, which has been effected between the parties.

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4. During the course of preliminary hearing, the trial Court/Illaqa Magistrate was directed to record the statements of all the concerned parties with regard to genuineness and validity or otherwise of the aforesaid compromise.

5. In compliance thereof, report from the Court of learned Judicial Magistrate Ist Class, Gurugram, along with statements of the parties has been received, in which, it is mentioned that the compromise is genuine and there was no undue influence or coercion from any side.

6. This Court has heard learned counsel for the parties.

7. Learned counsel for the petitioner and learned counsel for respondent No.2 are *ad idem* that in view of the settlement effected between the parties, the present petition deserves to be accepted. It has also come on record that the aforesaid compromise is genuine and the parties effected the same without any undue influence or coercion.

8. In view of above, nothing remains to be adjudicated further in the present case. Thus, continuation of the criminal proceedings between the parties would be a futile exercise and sheer wastage of time of the Court and thus, amounts to abuse of process of law.

9. For the reasons afore-stated and having regard to the law laid down by Hon'ble Apex Court in ***Gian Singh v. State of Punjab and another, 2012 (4) RCR (Criminal) 543*** and Five Judges Bench of this Court in ***Kulwinder Singh and others v. State of Punjab and another, 2007(3) RCR (Criminal) 1052***, this petition is allowed and FIR No.218 dated 19.06.2025 registered under Sections 419 and 420 of IPC at Police Station Cyber West,

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Gururgram, District Gurugram, and all the subsequent proceedings are hereby quashed qua the petitioner.

(SUBHAS MEHLA)
JUDGE

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Whether speaking /reasoned Yes / No

Whether Reportable Yes / No

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