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

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CRM-M-66337-2025
Date of Decision: 13.01.2026

KULDEEP SINGH AND ORS.

... Petitioners

VERSUS

STATE OF PUNJAB AND ANR.

... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE H.S. GREWAL.

Present: Mr. Aajeshwer Singh Grewal, Advocate
for the petitioners.

Mr. Rishabh Singla, AAG, Punjab
for respondent No.1.

H.S. GREWAL, J. (ORAL)

CRM-50723-2025

Allowed as prayed for.

The original affidavit of complainant dated 06.12.2025 (Annexure P-4) in support of the compromise is ordered to be taken on record subject to all just exceptions. Registry is directed to tag the same at appropriate place of the paper book.

MAIN CASE

This petition has been filed under Section 538 of Bharatiya Nagrik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023 (previously Section 482 of Cr.P.C.) seeking quashing of FIR No.108 dated 29.11.2026 under Sections 326, 325, 324, 323 and 34 of IPC registered at Police Station Kot Fatta, District Bathinda alongwith all subsequent proceedings arising therefrom on the basis of compromise dated 11.11.2025 arrived at between the parties (Annexure P-3).

2. Learned counsel for the petitioners contends that the matter has been compromised between the parties by virtue of compromise deed dated 11.11.2025 (Annexure P-3) and the complainant has duly sworn an affidavit dated 06.12.2025 with regard to the compromise arrived at between the parties. The said affidavit in original has been filed by the counsel for the petitioners in the Court today itself, which has been taken on record as Annexure P-4.

3. Since the original affidavit of the complainant with regard to the compromise has been placed on record, therefore, service upon the complainant-respondent No.2 is hereby dispensed with.

4. Learned State Counsel could not refute the factum of compromise arrived at 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. In that view of the matter, even if this case is taken to its logical conclusion, it would only be an exercise in futility as the parties have already settled their differences. Therefore, no purpose would be served in wasting the time and resources of the State in pursuing this case to its pre-ordained end. It would, therefore, be better to give a quietus to the issue at this stage.

6. Accordingly, the petition is allowed and FIR No.108 dated 29.11.2026 under Sections 326, 325, 324, 323 and 34 of IPC registered at Police Station Kot Fatta, District Bathinda alongwith all subsequent proceedings arising therefrom are quashed qua the petitioners on the basis of compromise dated 11.11.2025 arrived at between the parties (Annexure P-3) as well as the affidavit dated 06.12.2025 duly sworn by the complainant

subject to costs of Rs.10,000/- to be deposited with Punjab and Haryana High Court Legal Services Committee, Chandigarh.

7. Petition stands allowed accordingly.

JANUARY 13, 2026.

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(H.S. GREWAL)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No

Whether reportable : Yes/No