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

**CRM-M-3957-2025**

Date of decision: 26.03.2025

Mastan Singh and another

..... Petitioners

Versus

State of Haryana and another

..... Respondents

**CORAM: HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE MANJARI NEHRU KAUL**

Present: Mr. Ashish Sindher, Advocate, for the petitioners.

Mr. Gagandeep Singh Chhina, AAG, Haryana,  
for respondent No.1.

Mr. Ankush Sihag, Advocate, for respondent No.2.

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**MANJARI NEHRU KAUL, J. (ORAL)**

1. Prayer in the instant petition is for quashing of FIR No.604, dated 02.11.2024, under Sections 109(1) and 25(1-B) of Arms Act, registered at Police Station Sector 32-33, Karnal, District Karnal (Annexure P-1) and all subsequent proceedings arising out of the same, on the basis of compromise dated 04.01.2025 (Annexure P-2) arrived at, between the parties.

2. Vide order dated 27.01.2025 of this Court, the parties were directed to appear before the learned trial Court/Illaq Magistrate on 27.02.2025 to get their statements recorded regarding the compromise arrived at, between them.

3. Report has since been received from learned Additional District and Sessions Judge, Karnal, in pursuance of the directions of this Court,

wherein, the factum of the compromise arrived at between the parties stands verified and confirmed. As per the report, compromise has indeed been effected between the parties and the same is without any pressure or coercion and out of their free will and the complainant has also made statement to the effect that he would have no objection if the FIR qua the accused-petitioners is quashed.

4. The trial Court has annexed the statements of the parties in original, alongwith its report.

5. Learned State counsel too submits that there are no other accused other than the petitioners and respondent No.2 is the only aggrieved person in the FIR in question.

6. In view of the report of learned trial Court and the principles laid down by Hon'ble the Apex Court in *Gian Singh Versus State of Punjab and others (2012) 10 SCC 303*, and also by the Full Bench of this Court in *Kulwinder Singh and others Versus State of Punjab and another, 2007(3) RCR (Criminal) 1052*, the instant petition is allowed. The aforesaid FIR and all consequential proceedings arising out of it, are quashed qua petitioners.

7. Needless to say the parties shall remain bound by the terms of compromise and their statements recorded before the Court below.

(MANJARI NEHRU KAUL)  
JUDGE

March 26, 2025

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Whether speaking/reasoned: Yes/No

Whether reportable: Yes/No