



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

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**CRM-M No.62071 OF 2024  
Date of decision: 14.02.2025**

**GURPREET KAUR KALYAN AND OTHERS .... Petitioner**

**Versus**

**STATE OF PUNJAB AND ANOTHER .... Respondents**

**CORAM: HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE MANISHA BATRA**

Present : Mr. Sanjay Khan, Advocate for  
Mr. Arshdeep Singh Brar, Advocate for the petitioners.

Mr. Sukhsamdes Singh Chahal, A.A.G., Punjab.

Mr. Gurbinder Singh Sidhu, Advocate for respondent No.2.

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**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.160 dated 18.09.2023 registered under Section 384 IPC, at Police Station City Kotakpura, District Faridkot and all the subsequent proceedings arising therefrom, on the basis of compromise dated 16.04.2024 (Annexure P-2).

2. This Court vide order dated 11.12.2024 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.

3. Pursuant to the aforesaid order, parties have appeared before the learned Judicial Magistrate Ist Class, Faridkot and got their statements recorded. On the basis of the statements so recorded, learned Judge has

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submitted report dated 16.01.2025 to the effect that the compromise has been effected between the parties voluntarily and without any coercion or undue influence.

4. Vakalatnama filed on behalf of respondent No.2 is taken on record.

5. Learned State counsel as well as counsel for respondent No.2 have not disputed the factum of compromise between the parties.

6. In view of the above, no useful purpose would be served to continue with the proceedings before the trial Court in the instant FIR.

7. 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.160 dated 18.09.2023 registered under Section 384 IPC, at Police Station City Kotakpura, District Faridkot and all subsequent proceedings arising therefrom on the basis of compromise dated 16.04.2024 (Annexure P-2) are quashed qua the petitioners.

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**(MANISHA BATRA)****JUDGE**

Whether speaking/reasoned: Yes/No.

Whether reportable : Yes/No