



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

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CRM-M-37047-2025

Date of Decision: 29.08.2025

Sudhir Ghai @ Sudhir Kumar and another

...Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and another

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE MANISHA BATRA

Present: Ms. Harpreet Kaur, Advocate for
Mr. Varinder Basra, Advocate for the petitioners.

Mr. Durgesh Garg, AAG, Punjab.

Ms. Ramandeep Kaur, Advocate for
Mr. Ashish Gupta, Advocate for respondent No.2.

MANISHA BATRA, J. (ORAL)

1. The present petition has been filed under Section 528 of BNSS for quashing of FIR No.69 dated 30.04.2025 registered under Sections 118, 351(2)(3)(5) of BNS, at Police Station City Batala, District Gurdaspur and all the subsequent proceedings arising therefrom, on the basis of compromise dated 28.05.2025 (Annexure P-2).

2. This Court vide order dated 16.07.2025 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 Sub Divisional Judicial Magistrate, Batala and got their statements recorded. On the basis of the statements so recorded, learned Judge has submitted



report dated 20.08.2025 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.69 dated 30.04.2025 registered under Sections 118, 351(2)(3)(5) of BNS, at Police Station City Batala, District Gurdaspur and all subsequent proceedings arising therefrom on the basis of compromise dated 28.05.2025 (Annexure P-2) are quashed qua the petitioners.

(MANISHA BATRA)
JUDGE

August 29, 2025

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Whether speaking/reasoned	Yes/No
Whether reportable	Yes/No