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

**CRM-M-31141-2025
Date of Decision: 10.09.2025**

DEVINDER SINGH ALIAS SONU BHALWAN Petitioner

Versus

STATE OF PUNJAB AND ANOTHER Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE YASHVIR SINGH RATHOR

Present : Mr. Harmanbir S. Sandhu, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Rahul Jindal, AAG, Punjab.

Mr. K.S. Dargan, Advocate
for respondent No.2.

YASHVIR SINGH RATHOR, J. (Oral)

1. Prayer in this petition filed under Section 482 of Cr.P.C is for quashing of F.I.R. No.0068 dated 15.06.2023, under Sections 324, 323 and 34 of IPC and Sections 326 and 201 of IPC added later on registered at Police Station Sadar Raikot, District Ludhiana and all subsequent proceedings arising therefrom on the basis of compromise.

2. This Court vide order dated 09.07.2025 had directed the parties to appear before the Trial Court/Illaqa Magistrate to get their statements recorded and the learned Magistrate was directed to send his/her report qua the genuineness of the compromise.

3. Pursuant to the aforesaid order, parties have appeared before learned Judicial Magistrate 1st Class, Jagraon and got their statements



recorded. On the basis of the statements so recorded, learned Magistrate has submitted report dated 29.07.2025 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 learned 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 F.I.R. following the principles laid down by the Full Bench judgment of this Court in 2007 (3) RCR (Criminal) 1052 titled as '*Kulwinder Singh and others Versus State of Punjab and another*' and approved by the Hon'ble Supreme Court in (2012) 10 SCC 303 titled as '*Gian Singh Versus State of Punjab and others*', this petition is allowed and all subsequent proceedings arising therefrom on the basis of compromise qua petitioner(s), are hereby quashed.

(YASHVIR SINGH RATHOR)
JUDGE

10.09.2025

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Whether speaking/reasoned	Yes/No
Whether Reportable	Yes/No