

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

CRM-M No.3381 of 2014 (O&M)

Date of Decision: September 30, 2014

Kanhaiya Gupta and others

.... Petitioners

Vs.

State of Punjab and others

.... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE KULDIP SINGH

Present: Mr. Rahul Bhargava, Advocate for the petitioners.

Mr. Navdeep Singh, AAG Punjab.

Mr. P.S.Punia, Advocate for respondents No.2 and 3.

Kuldip Singh, J.(Oral)

The petitioners have filed this petition seeking quashing of FIR No.73 dated 7.5.2011 (Annexure P-1) registered under Sections 307, 341, 323, 295-A, 148 and 149 IPC and Section 25 of Arms Act as well as subsequent proceedings arising therefrom, on the basis of compromise (Annexure P-2) effected between the parties.

A perusal of the FIR shows that Manjinder Singh lodged the FIR against accused regarding causing injury to him and hurting his religious sentiments by pulling his beard and tearing the clothes of his wife Kiranjit Kaur. In the process, no grievous injury was

caused but it was alleged that an attempt was made to kill the complainant. The case is pending for investigation and challan has not been presented so far. The compromise was sent to learned Sub Divisional Judicial Magistrate for recording the statements of the parties. The Magistrate has recorded the statements of Manjinder Singh complainant as well as his wife Kiranjit Kaur victim. He also recorded the statements of opposite party and has reported to this Court that parties have entered into compromise without any pressure or coercion.

In view of the fact that there was no serious injury and parties have amicably settled the dispute, the present petition is allowed. FIR No.73 dated 7.5.2011 registered under Sections 307, 341, 323, 295-A, 148, 149 IPC and Section 25 of Arms Act as well as consequential proceedings arising therefrom are quashed.

September 30, 2014
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(KULDIP SINGH)
JUDGE