

Compounding Application No. 3897 of 2018

In

WPCRL No. 333 of 2018

**Hon'ble V.K. Bist, J.**

Mr. R.S. Sammal, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Siddhartha Bisht, Brief Holder for the State of Uttarakhand.

Heard.

A compounding application has been filed by the petitioner. Alongwith the compounding application, affidavits have been filed by Mr. Keshav Lal Arya (petitioner) and Mrs. Kaushalya Devi (respondent no. 3). In the compounding application, it is stated that now the matter has been settled amicable between the parties and the respondent no. 3 does not want to prosecute the petitioner.

Earlier, on 03.04.2018, this Court passed the following order:

“Heard learned counsel for the parties.

A compounding application has been filed by the petitioner. Alongwith compounding application, affidavits have been filed by Mr. Keshav Lal Arya (petitioner) and Mrs. Kaushalya Devi (respondent no. 3). In the compromise application, it is stated that now the matter has been settled amicably *inter se* the parties and the respondent no. 3 does not want to prosecute the petitioner.

Today, petitioner as well as respondent no.3 appeared before me and they are duly identified by their respective counsel.

Mrs. Kaushalya Devi (respondent no. 3) submitted that the matter has been settled amicably *inter se* the

parties and, therefore, the offences may be compounded and the impugned F.I.R. may be quashed.

Learned Deputy Advocate General opposed the compounding application and submitted that one section is non compoundable and he intends to file objection to the compounding application

Admit.

List this matter on 16.04.2018. By that time, objection to the compounding application, if any, may be filed.

Since compounding application has been filed, it is directed that till 16.04.2018, no coercive steps shall be taken against the petitioner in connection with F.I.R. No. 11 of 2018, relating to offence punishable under Section 493, 312, 325 & 506 of I.P.C., registered at Police Station Kotwali Bageshwar, District Bageshwar, provided he cooperates with the investigating agency in the investigation of the case.”

List this matter on 13.06.2018. In the meantime, Investigating Officer shall record the statement of respondent no. 3 Smt. Kaushalya Devi.

Interim order dated 03.04.2018 is extended till the next date of listing.

**(V.K. Bist, J.)**  
30.05.2018