IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH

Sr. No. 272(2) **CRM-M No. 16017 of 2022**

Date of decision: 05.09.2022

Rakesh

.....Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana and another

....Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE DEEPAK SIBAL

Present: Ms. Kashish, Advocate for

Mr. Parminder Singh, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Karan Sharma, DAG, Haryana.

Mr. Sukhdeep Singh, Advocate for respondent No.2.

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DEEPAK SIBAL, J. (Oral)

The present petition has been filed under Section 482 Cr.P.C. for quashing of FIR No.415 dated 22.10.2019 registered under Sections 120-B, 354-D, 506 IPC and Section 67 of the Information Technology Act, 2000 at Police Station Matlauda, district Panipat, on the basis of a written compromise (Annexure P-2).

On 21.04.2022, this Court had directed the parties to appear before the Illaqa Magistrate/Trial Court on 06.05.2022 for recording of their respective statements with regard to the compromise, who in turn was directed to submit a report along with the recorded statements with regard to the veracity of the compromise between the parties as also to apprise this Court whether P.O. proceedings are pending against any of the accused.

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As directed, report dated 07.05.2022 from the Judicial Magistrate First Class, Panipat has been received, as per which the parties had recorded their statements before the Trial Court in terms of the compromise arrived at between them and that no proclamation proceedings are pending against the petitioner.

Learned State counsel has also raised no objection if the present petition is allowed.

In view of the above, continuation of the proceedings in pursuance of the afore-referred FIR, which originates from a matrimonial dispute between the parties and the matter having been compromised, would be an abuse of the process of law and in terms of the law laid down by the Supreme Court in *Narinder Singh & Ors. Vs. State of Punjab & Anr. (2014) 6 SCC 466*, this Court deems it just and proper to allow the petition and resultantly quash FIR No.415 dated 22.10.2019 registered under Sections 120-B, 354-D, 506 IPC and Section 67 of the Information Technology Act, 2000 at Police Station Matlauda, district Panipat and all proceedings arising therefrom qua the petitioner.

05.09.2022 *sunil yadav*

(DEEPAK SIBAL) JUDGE

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