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

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Date of decision : 14.05.2026

BABPREET SINGH

... PETITIONER

Versus

STATE OF PUNJAB AND ANOTHER

... RESPONDENTS

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE H.S.GREWAL

Present:- Mr. Pawandeep Singh, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Surinderjit Singh Nahar, AAG, Punjab.

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

H.S. Grewal, J.(Oral)

1. The present petition has been filed under Section 528 of Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023 for quashing of FIR No. 240 dated 10.08.2023 under Sections 420,120-B of IPC and Section 13 of the Punjab Travel Professional Regulation Act, 2014 registered at Police Station Sadar Amritsar, District Amritsar, Punjab (Annexure P-1) and all consequential proceedings arising therefrom on basis of compromise dated 04.03.2024 (Annexure P-2).
2. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the FIR is outcome of a monetary dispute which has now been resolved and with the intervention of the respectables of the Society, the matter has indeed been compromised. He has referred to the compromise (Annexure P-2), in this regard and prays for quashing of the aforesaid FIR.
3. This Court vide order dated 03.02.2026 had directed the parties to appear before the trial Court to get their statements recorded and the learned

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Magistrate was directed to send its report qua the genuineness of the compromise.

4. Pursuant to the aforesaid order, the parties have appeared before the learned Addl. Chief Judicial Magistrate, Amritsar and got their statements recorded. A copy of report dated 04.05.2026 has been submitted to the effect that the compromise has been effected between the parties voluntarily and without any coercion or undue influence.

5. Learned State counsel as well as the counsel for respondent No.2 have not disputed the factum of compromise between the parties.

6. I have heard learned counsel for the parties and perused the material available on record.

7. In view of the above, no useful purpose would be served to continue with the proceedings before the trial Court in the instant FIR.

8. 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. 240 dated 10.08.2023 under Sections 420,120-B of IPC and Section 13 of the Punjab Travel Professional Regulation Act, 2014 registered at Police Station Sadar Amritsar, District Amritsar, Punjab (Annexure P-1) and all subsequent proceedings arising therefrom qua the petitioner are hereby quashed.

(H.S.GREWAL)
JUDGE

14.05.2026
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Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No
Whether reportable : Yes/No