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* **IN THE HIGH COURT OF DELHI AT NEW DELHI**

+ **CRL.M.C. 4800/2016**

HARI NARAYAN

..... Petitioner

Represented by: Mr. Santosh Kumar, Advocate
with petitioner in person.

versus

STATE (NCT OF DELHI) & ANR.

..... Respondents

Represented by: Ms. Rajni Gupta, APP for the
State with SI Surender Rana,
PS R.K. Puram, Delhi.
Mr. Puneeth K.G. and Mr.
Arnav Vidhyarthi, Advocates
for respondent No. 2 with Ms.
Jaya Thakuria, Sr. Legal
Manager of respondent No.2 in
person.

CORAM:

HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE MUKTA GUPTA

ORDER

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22.12.2016

Crl. M.A. No. 19974/2016 (Exemption)

Allowed, subject to all just exceptions.

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By the present petition the petitioner seeks quashing of FIR No. 515/2015 under Sections 135 of the Indian Electricity Act (Amended), 2003 registered at PS R.K. Puram, Delhi on the complaint of Respondent No.2 and the proceedings pursuant thereto on the ground that the parties have settled the matter.

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Ms. Jaya Thakuria, Senior Legal Manager of Respondent No.2/M/s BSES Rajdhani Power Ltd. is present in Court and is identified by the learned Counsel. She states that she is competent and authorised to depose on behalf of respondent No.2. She states that the respondent No.2 has settled the matter with the petitioner and against the theft bill of ₹15,421.59 which was raised against the petitioner the respondent No.2 has settled the matter for a sum of ₹5,140/- which amount has been paid by the petitioner. She on behalf of Respondent No.2 states that she does not want to pursue the abovementioned FIR and the proceedings pursuant thereto.

In view of the fact that the parties have amicably resolved their disputes, no useful purpose will be served in continuance of the proceedings, it would be in the interest of justice to quash the abovementioned FIR and the proceedings pursuant thereto. There is no legal impediment in quashing the FIR in question.

Consequently, FIR No. 515/2015 under Sections 135 of the Indian Electricity Act (Amended), 2003 registered at PS R.K. Puram, Delhi and proceedings pursuant thereto are hereby quashed.

Petitioner and Ms. Jaya Thakuria, Senior Legal Manager of respondent No.2 have signed this order sheet in acknowledgment of their statements made before this Court.

The petition is disposed of. Order dasti.

MUKTA GUPTA, J.

DECEMBER 22, 2016/‘vn’

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