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

+ W.P.(CRL) No. 366/2017 & Crl. M.A. no. 1978/2017 (exemption)

DEVRAJ DAHIYA & ORS. Petitioners
Through : Mr. Udham Singh, Adv.

versus

STATE (NCT OF DELHI) & ORS. Respondents
Through : Mr. Rahul Mehra, Standing Counsel
with Mr. Jamal Akhtar, Adv. & SI
Ajay, P.S. Palam Village

AND

+ W.P.(CRL) No. 367/2017 & Crl. M.A. no. 1981/2017 (exemption)

KAMLESII & ORS. Petitioners
Through : Mr. Udham Singh, Adv.

versus

STATE (NCT OF DELHI) & ORS. Respondents
Through : Mr. Rahul Mehra, Standing Counsel
with Mr. Jamal Akhtar, Adv. & SI
Ajay, P.S. Palam Village

CORAM:
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE A.K. PATHAK

ORDER
22.03.2017

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By these writ petitions, it has been prayed that the following cross
FIRs may be quashed. Details of the FIRs are as under:-

- (a) FIR No. 306/2012 under Sections 324/34 IPC registered at P.S. Palam Village, on the complaint of respondent no. 3 Mr. Sourabh Gahlawat in W.P.(Crl.) No. 367/2017.
- (b) FIR No. 307/2012 under Sections 323/324/34 IPC registered at P.S. Palam Village, on the complaint of Late Shri Jai Prakash Sharma.

Respondent nos. 2 to 5 in WP (Crl.) No. 366/2017 are wife, sons and daughter-in-law of Late Shri Jai Prakash Sharma. Kamlesh, Deepak Sharma, Preeti and Keshav (respondent nos. 2 to 5 in WP (Crl.) No. 366/2017 and Devraj Dahiya, Sourabh Gahlawat and Vishal Singh (respondent nos. 2 to 4 in WP(Crl.) No.367/2017) submit that they have settled the matter with the petitioners in both the above writ petitions of their own free will and without any undue force, coercion and pressure. They further submit that they are not willing to pursue the aforesaid FIRs any further.

Keeping in mind the fact that settlement has been arrived at between the parties and they are not willing to pursue the FIRs any further, in my view, no fruitful purpose would be served to keep the criminal proceedings pending. Accordingly, in the interest of justice both the FIRs, that is, FIR No. 306/2012 under Sections 324/34 IPC and FIR No. 307/2012 under

Sections 323/324/34 IPC, both registered at P.S. Palam Village and the consequent proceedings emanating therefrom are quashed.

Both the writ petitions are disposed of in the above terms. Miscellaneous applications are disposed of as infructuous. Dasti.


A.K. PATHAK, J.

MARCH 22, 2017
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