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

+ CRL.M.C. 4181/2017

VIKRANT SETH & ORS Petitioners
Through Mr. Rajiv Raheja, Adv.

versus

THE STATE & ANR Respondent
Through Mr. G.M. Farooqui, APP with SI
Jagdish, P.S. Bindapur for respondent
no. 1
Respondent no. 2 in person with
counsel (attendance slip not given)

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

ORDER
% **15.11.2017**

Notice could not be issued to the respondent no. 2 as process fee was not filed. However, respondent no. 2 is present in Court along with her counsel and accepts notice. She has been identified by SI Jagdish of police station Bindapur. Respondent no. 2 admits having settled the matter with petitioner no. 1 before the Mediation Centre, Dwarka Courts, New Delhi on 1st September, 2015 of her own free will, voluntarily and without any undue force, pressure or coercion. Respondent no. 2 submits that her marriage with the petitioner no.1 has already been dissolved by a decree of divorce by mutual consent dated 30th May, 2017 passed by the Family Court, Dwarka, New Delhi.

Petitioner no. 1 has paid ₹37,500/- to the respondent no. 2 today in Court through demand draft, photocopy whereof has been placed on record. Respondent no. 2 says that with this payment she has received the entire settled amount and she is not willing to pursue the FIR any further against the petitioner no. 1 and his relatives, that is, petitioner nos. 2 to 6 and the same may be quashed.

Keeping in mind the facts and circumstances as detailed above, more particularly, the fact that marriage of petitioner no. 1 and respondent no. 2 has already been dissolved by a decree of divorce by mutual consent, in the interest of justice, FIR No.1099/2014 under Sections 498-A/406/34 IPC registered at Police Station Binda Pur and the consequent proceedings emanating therefrom are quashed.

Petition is disposed of in the above terms. Dasti.

A.K. PATHAK, J.

NOVEMBER 15, 2017

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