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* **IN THE HIGH COURT OF DELHI AT NEW DELHI**
+ **CRL.M.C. 2502/2018**
AMIT JAIN & ORS Petitioners
Through: Ms. Arti Bansal, Adv.
versus

STATE (NCT OF DELHI) & ANR Respondents
Through: Dr. M.P. Singh, APP for State with SI
Rinki, P.S. Anand Vihar.
Respondent no.2 in person.

CORAM:
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE A.K. PATHAK
ORDER
% **11.05.2018**

Notice. Learned APP accepts notice for respondent no.1. Respondent no.2-Nivedita Jain is also present in Court and accepts notice. She has been identified by SI Rinki of police station Anand Vihar.

Respondent no.2 submits that she has settled the matter with the petitioner no.1 of her own free will and without any undue force, pressure or coercion. Her marriage with petitioner no.1 has already been dissolved by a decree of divorce by mutual consent dated 19th April, 2018 by the Family Court, South West District, Dwarka, Delhi. Petitioner no.1 has paid ₹5 lacs to the respondent no.2 today in Court vide a demand draft, photocopy whereof has been placed on record. Respondent no.2 submits that with this payment entire settled amount of ₹22.38 lacs stands paid and she has no

objection in case FIR No. 452/2016 under Sections 498A/406/506/34 IPC registered at police station Anand Vihar and the consequent proceedings emanating therefrom are quashed against the petitioner no.1 and his relatives, that is, petitioner nos. 2 to 4.

Keeping in mind the settlement arrived at between the petitioner no.1 and respondent no.2 voluntarily, in my view, no fruitful purpose would be served in keeping the criminal proceedings. Accordingly, in the interest of justice, aforesaid FIR and the consequent proceedings emanating therefrom are quashed.

Petition is disposed of in the above terms. Miscellaneous application is disposed of as infructuous.

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A.K. PATHAK, J.

MAY 11, 2018

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