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

+ **CRL.M.C. 3076/2018**

SANJEEV KUMAR & ORS

..... Petitioners

Through Mr. Mohd. Shakir, Advocate for
petitioner Nos.1, 2 and 3.

versus

STATE (GOVT OF NCT OF DELHI) & ORS Respondents

Through Mr. G.M. Farooqui, APP for the
State.

SI Narender Singh, PS Ambedkar
Nagar.

Mr. Pankaj Kumar, Advocate for R-2.

CORAM:

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SANJEEV SACHDEVA

ORDER

% **30.05.2018**

Crl.M.A.10810/2018 (exemption)

Exemption is allowed subject to all just exceptions.

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1. The petitioners seek quashing of FIR No.487/2014 under Sections 498A/406/34 IPC, Police Station Ambedkar Nagar.
2. The subject FIR emanates out of matrimonial discord. Petitioner No.1 is the husband of respondent No.2. Petitioner Nos.2 and 3 are the father-in-law and mother-in-law of the respondent No.2.
3. Learned counsel for the petitioners submits that the disputes between the parties have been settled through the process of mediation held before Mediation Centre, Saket Courts on 19.07.2017. The parties have already been divorced by way of a decree of divorce by mutual consent, passed on 17.02.2018.

4. Respondent No.2 was to be paid a total sum of Rs.60,000/-, in full and final settlement of all her claims. A sum of Rs.45,000/- has already been paid. The balance sum of Rs.15,000/- has been paid to respondent No.2 in cash today in Court.

5. Respondent No.2 is present in person and is identified by the Investigating Officer. She submits that she has settled her disputes with the petitioners and does not wish to press charges against the petitioners and prosecute the complaint any further.

6. In view of the fact that the proceedings emanate out of a matrimonial discord and the parties have fully and finally settled their disputes and the respondent No.2 has stated that she does not wish to press the complaint any further and the fact that the parties have already been divorced by way of a decree of divorce by mutual consent, passed on 17.02.2018, continuation of criminal proceedings will be an exercise in futility and justice in the case demands that the dispute between the parties is put to an end and peace is restored; securing the ends of justice being the ultimate guiding factor. It would be expedient to quash the subject FIR and the consequent proceedings emanating there from.

7. In view of the above, the petition is allowed. FIR No.487/2014 under Sections 498A/406/34 IPC, Police Station Ambedkar Nagar and the consequent proceedings emanating there from are quashed.

8. Order *Dasti* under the signatures of the Court Master.

SANJEEV SACHDEVA, J

MAY 30, 2018/st

