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

+ **CRL.M.C. 2497/2019**

VIJAY KUMAR

..... Petitioner

Through: Mr. Vikas Vats, Adv. with the
petitioner in person

versus

GOVT. OF NCT OF DELHI & ANR Respondents

Through: Mr.Amit Chadha, APP with SI
Kuldeep Singh, PS Palam
Village, Delhi
Mr. B.N. Sharma, Adv. for R-2
with R-2 in person

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HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE CHANDER SHEKHAR

ORDER

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05.08.2019

1. The petitioner has filed the present petition under Section 482 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973 for quashing of FIR No.452/2014 dated 20.9.2014, under Sections 354-B/509 of the Indian Penal Code, 1860 ('IPC'), registered at P.S.: Palam Village, Delhi and the proceedings emanating therefrom.
2. The petitioner and respondent No.2 as well as learned counsel for the parties submitted that the parties have settled their disputes on their own free will, without any force or coercion vide a Compromise Deed dated 22.9.2017.
3. Respondent No.2, who is present in Court, has reiterated the aforesaid facts and submitted that since the petitioner has tendered

unconditional apology to her and has assured that he shall not indulge in such activities in future, she has now forgiven him and has no objection to the petition being allowed and the FIR being quashed.

4. The Investigating Officer ('IO'), who is present in Court, has identified the petitioner as well as respondent No.2 and has also verified the settlement.

5. Learned counsel for the petitioner submitted that the petitioner is ready and willing to contribute a sum of Rs.2,500/- for some social beneficial cause in any trust or association.

6. In view of the aforesaid circumstances, the settlement arrived at between the parties and taking into consideration the age, career and socio-economic background of the petitioner, I deem it appropriate to give the petitioner a chance to reform and reintegrate into the society as a productive member. The petitioner is warned to be careful in future and to not indulge in such activities again. Taking into consideration the remorseful attitude of the petitioner, this Court is also of the view that no fruitful purpose would be served in keeping the parties entangled in the criminal proceedings. Accordingly, in the interest of justice, FIR No.452/2014 dated 20.9.2014, under Sections 354-B/509 of the IPC, registered at P.S.: Palam Village, Delhi and the proceedings emanating therefrom are quashed subject to cost of Rs.2,500/- to be paid by the petitioner within 14 days in the Delhi High Court Advocates' Welfare Trust and receipt of the deposit be filed in the Registry within 21 days. Copy of the receipt shall also be handed over to the APP through the I.O. within 21 days. In case the

petitioner fails to deposit the said sum, the prosecution shall be entitled to move an application for passing appropriate orders.

7. Petition is disposed of in above terms.

CHANDER SHEKHAR, J

AUGUST 05, 2019/rk