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* **IN THE HIGH COURT OF DELHI AT NEW DELHI**
+ CRL.M.C. 665/2018
AJAY KUMAR & ORS Petitioners
Through: Mr. Yashpal, Advocate

versus

THE STATE & ANR Respondents
Through: Mr. Mukesh Kumar, APP with
SI Raju Yadav, PS:Sultan Puri,
Delhi
Mr. C.S. Parashar, Advocate
for respondent No.2

CORAM:
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE CHANDER SHEKHAR

ORDER

% **29.08.2019**

1. The petitioners have filed the present petition under Section 482 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973 for quashing of FIR No.190/2010, under Sections 498-A/406/34 of the Indian Penal Code, 1860 ('IPC'), registered at P.S.: Sultan Puri, Delhi and the proceedings emanating therefrom.
2. The petitioners and respondent No.2 as well as their respective counsel submitted that the parties have settled their disputes on their own free will, without any force or coercion before the Mediation Centre, Rohini Distt. Courts, Delhi on 12.7.2010.
3. It is also submitted that the marriage between the petitioner No.1 and respondent No.2 has been dissolved by

mutual consent under Section 13B(2) of the Hindu Marriage Act, 1955 vide a decree of divorce dated 30.10.2013.

4. Respondent No.2, who is present in Court along with her father, has reiterated the aforesaid facts and submitted that she has no objection to the petition being allowed and the FIR being quashed in case the petitioners pay the amount of Rs.2,00,000/- to her, which the petitioners had agreed to pay in terms of the order dated 13.5.2019.

5. Learned counsel for the petitioners submitted that the petitioners have brought a demand draft bearing No.483983, dated 22.8.2019, drawn on Union Bank, for an amount of Rs.2,00,000/-, which has been handed over to the respondent No.2 today in the Court.

6. The Investigating Officer ('IO'), who is present in Court, has identified the petitioners as well as respondent No.2 and has also verified the settlement arrived at between the parties.

7. In view of the aforesaid circumstances, the settlement arrived at between the parties and the dissolution of marriage, this Court is 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. 190/2010, under Sections 498-A/406/34 of the IPC, registered at P.S.: Sultan Puri, Delhi and the proceedings emanating therefrom are quashed.

8. Petition is disposed of in above terms.

CHANDER SHEKHAR, J

AUGUST 29, 2019
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