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

+ CRL.M.C. 5294/2024 CRL.M.A. 20254/2024
MAHENDER KUMAR @ JABLEEN

.....Petitioner

Through: Mr. Kartik Venu, Mr. R. J. Rohit,
Advocates.

versus

STATE OF NCT OF DELHI & ANR.

.....Respondent

Through: Mr. Hitesh Vali, APP for the State with
Mr. Anil Panwar, Ms. Nidhi Agnihotri,
Ms. Anamika Singhal, Mr. M.
Choubey, Advocates with SI Naveen,
PS: Anand Parbat.

CORAM:
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANISH DAYAL

ORDER
12.07.2024

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1. This petition has been filed seeking quashing of FIR No. 326/2014 under Sections under Sections 354A IPC registered at P.S. Anand Parbat, on the basis of settlement arrived at between the parties on 23rd March, 2024, which is on record of this Court.
2. Petitioner no. 1 and respondent no.2 are both present in Court and are duly identified by the IO.
3. Respondent no.2 states that she has no objection to the FIR being quashed despite the fact that the FIR was registered 10 years back and the trial is underway and defence evidence is being led.



4. APP for the State points out to this issue as well to which counsel for petitioner replied that the petitioner is a Pastor working with the slum dwellers and gives his services at the Capiston Church in Baljeet Nagar.
5. Accordingly, in these circumstances, the FIR is being quashed on the condition that the petitioner shall supply mid-day meal to the children that he teaches in the said Church for a period of 15 days.
6. Photographs and compliance affidavit in this regard be placed on record within six weeks from today.
7. Considering the above settlement between the parties and the chances of conviction of the petitioner being remote and bleak, there is no use continuing with proceedings of the present FIR as it would be a misuse of the process of the Court and an unnecessary burden on the State exchequer. Accordingly, the petition is allowed. Consequently, the FIR No. 326/2014 under Sections 354AIPC registered at P.S Anand Parbat and proceedings emanating therefrom are quashed.
8. Parties shall abide by the terms of settlement.
9. Accordingly, the petition is disposed of. Pending application, if any, is disposed of as infructuous.
10. Order be uploaded on the website of this Court.

ANISH DAYAL, J

JULY 12, 2024/RK

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