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

+ CRL.M.C. 8970/2024. CRL.M.A. 34346/2024 & CRL.M.A.
34347/2024

SH RAM MANI PANDAY & ANR.

.....Petitioners

Through: Mr Trideep Pais Sr Adv, Ms Neha
Rathi Adv, Mr Kamal Kishore, Ms
Kajal Giri Adv, Ms Saloni Ambastha

Sr Adv KK Manan with Ms. Udit
Bali, Mr. Karmanya Singh
Choudhary, Mr. Lavish, Ms. Nandini
& Ms. Savita, Advocates

versus

THE STATE NCT OF DELHI & ANR.

.....Respondents

Through: Mr. Pradeep Gahlot, APP for State
with MS. Ridam Arora, Mr. Mohit
Sharma, Mr. Harsh Kumar Singh,
Advocates
SI Ajay Tomar PS Seemapuri
R-2/complainant in person

CORAM:

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANISH DAYAL

ORDER

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18.11.2024

CRL.M.A. 34345/2024 (Exemption)

1. Allowed, subject to all just exceptions.
2. Application stands disposed of.

CRL.M.C. 8970/2024

1. This petition has been filed, seeking quashing of FIR No.643/2006 under Section 406/421/120B IPC, Police Station Seema Puri basis settlement arrived at between the parties dated 9th April 2024, which is on record of this Court.
2. Petitioner nos. 1 and 2 and respondent no.2/complainant are present



before the Court and are duly identified by the IO as also by the counsel.

3. It is submitted that as per settlement, Rs.7.50 lakhs have been received by respondent no.2, which fact is confirmed by respondent no.2, who states that he has no objection to quashing of the FIR.

4. It is pointed out that another FIR, being, FIR No.580/2006, with similar offences against the accused, was quashed by this Court *vide* order dated 20th May 2024 in CrI. M.C. No.4041/2024, passed by this Court.

5. APP for State, on instructions, informs that there were 3 more victims as noted by the Trial Court and one of them has, since, passed away while the other two are untraceable.

6. In view of the above facts and considering that no useful purpose will be served in continuance of the proceedings, it is directed that the aforesaid FIR and the consequent proceedings arising therefrom are hereby quashed, subject to the cost of Rs.50,000/- (Rupees Fifty Thousand Only) to be deposited by each of the petitioners with the Delhi State Legal Services Authority (A/c No. 18580110053263, UCO Bank, Branch: Rouse Avenue, IFSC: UCBA0003364) within a period of four weeks from today. The amount so deposited shall be utilized by the Delhi State Legal Services Authority for providing counselling/psychological support to POCSO victims requiring such assistance.

7. Petition stands disposed of with aforesaid directions. Pending applications are disposed of as infructuous.

8. Order be uploaded on the website of this Court.

ANISH DAYAL, J

NOVEMBER 18, 2024/sm/kp