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

+ CRL.M.C. 9766/2024 and CRL.M.A. 37456/2024

DR MAHIPAL & ORS.

.....Petitioners

Through: Mr.Abdus Samad Ansari, Advocate with
petitioners in person

versus

THE STATE OF N.C.T.OF DELHI & ANR.Respondents

Through: Ms.Manjeet Arya, APP for State with
ASI Rajesh

Mr. Archit Arora, Advocate for respondent No.2
with respondent No.2 through V.C.

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HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE MANOJ KUMAR OHRI

ORDER

12.12.2024

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1. By way of present petition, the petitioners seek quashing of FIR No.402/2024 registered under Sections 498A/406/34 IPC at P.S. Paschim Vihar, Delhi on the ground that the parties have amicably settled their disputes.
2. The present FIR is an outcome of a matrimonial dispute between the complainant/respondent No. 2 (wife) and petitioner No.1 (husband) whereas petitioner Nos.2 and 3 are the in-laws of the complainant/respondent No.2.
3. Learned APP for the State submits that the petitioners are the only accused persons and respondent No.2 is the complainant/victim.
4. Learned counsels for the parties submit that the parties have settled their dispute vide Settlement/Memorandum of Understanding dated 05.09.2024. It is stated that petitioner No.1 and respondent No.2 have already been granted divorce by mutual consent vide divorce decree dated



28.09.2024 passed by Principal Judge, Family Courts, West, Tis Hazari Courts, Delhi in HMA No.2631/2024. In terms of the settlement, respondent No.2 is now left with no claim whatsoever against the petitioners.

5. The petitioners, who are present in the Court and respondent No.2, who have joined the proceedings through V.C., have been identified by their respective counsels and the Investigating Officer.

6. Respondent No.2 states that she has entered into the aforesaid Settlement/Memorandum of Understanding out of her own free will, volition and without any coercion. She further states that she has no objection if the present FIR and consequent proceedings are quashed.

7. Learned counsels for the parties submit that no other proceedings are pending between the parties.

8. The parties shall remain bound by the statements made in Court today.

9. In view of the above facts and since no useful purpose will be served in continuance of the present criminal proceedings, it is directed that the aforesaid FIR and the consequent proceedings arising therefrom are hereby quashed.

10. The petition is disposed of in the above terms alongwith the pending application.

MANOJ KUMAR OHRI, J

DECEMBER 12, 2024

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