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

+ CRL.M.C. 10020/2024 CRL.M.A. 38397/2024

SUMIT KUMAR @ SUMIT PAL & ORS.Petitioners

Through: Mr. Vinay Kumar & Ms. Reena
Kumari, Advs. with petitioners in
person

versus

STATE (NCT OF DELHI AT NEW DELHI) & ANR.

.....Respondents

Through: Mr. Satinder Singh Bawa, APP for
State/R-1 with SI Dharamveer PS
Chhawla
Mr. Ashish Kumar, Adv. for R-2
with R-2 in person

CORAM:
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANISH DAYAL

ORDER

% **19.12.2024**

1. This petition has been filed seeking quashing of FIR No.393/2021 PS Chhawla, Delhi under Sections 498A/406/34 IPC on the basis of settlement arrived at, between the parties, dated 6th June 2023, which is on record of this Court.
2. As per the settlement, outstanding balance of Rs.1.25 lakhs is being tendered today *vide* DD no. 609481, drawn on Kotak Mahindra Bank. The same has been handed over to respondent no.2, who has duly received it in Court. She states that she has no objection to quashing of the FIR.
3. Petitioner nos.1-4 and respondent no. 2 are present in Court and are duly identified by IO and the respective counsels.
4. The marriage of petitioner no.1 and respondent no. 2 resulted in a divorce *vide* decree dated 3rd January 2024. No child was born out of this



wedlock.

5. Considering the above settlement between the parties and the chances of conviction of the petitioners 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. 393/2021 PS Chhawla, Delhi under Sections 498A/406/34 IPC and proceedings emanating therefrom are quashed.

6. Parties shall abide by the terms of settlement.

7. Accordingly, the petition is disposed of. Pending applications (if any) are disposed of as infructuous.

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

ANISH DAYAL, J

DECEMBER 19, 2024/sm/kp