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

+ CRL.M.C. 2641/2021, CRL.M.A. 17013/2021, CRL.M.A. 22605/2022, CRL.M.A. 17921/2023, CRL.M.A. 7862/2025

AVNEESH KUMAR SINGH & ORS.

.....Petitioners

Through: Mr. Tanveer Ahmed Mir, Sr. Advocate with Mr. Prateek Gupta, Mr. Raghav Tiwari and Ms. Anushka Khaitan, Advocates

versus

STATE OF NCT OF DELHI & ANR.

.....Respondents

Through: Mr. Shoaib Haider, APP for the State with SI Amit Kr., P.S. EOW
Mr. Manu Sharma, Sr. Advocate with Mr. Krishna Datta Multani, Mr. Zeeshan Diwan, Mr. Chaitanya Mr. Hegde, Mr. Joel James and Mr. Harsha, Advocates for R-8, 9 & 16

CORAM:

HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE NEENA BANSAL KRISHNA

ORDER

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29.07.2025

1. Petition under Section 482 Cr.P.C. has been filed for quashing of FIR No. 0134/2019 dated 18.07.2019 under Sections 406/420/120B IPC at P.S. EOW on the basis of the Settlement Agreement dated 16.10.2019.
2. It is submitted that as the Petition was pending, many other Victims have forthcome with many of whom the matter has been settled. However, there are still some Victims with whom there is no settlement.
3. Learned Senior Counsel for the Petitioners submits that the Petition be



treated as one for quashing on merits qua them, however, this cannot be permitted. Insofar as the compounding is concerned, offences under Sections 406/420 are both compoundable.

4. Learned Senior Counsel on behalf of the Respondents submits that the Charge-sheet already stands filed on which cognizance has been taken.

5. The contentions raised herein may be raised at the stage on framing of charge. Insofar as the compounding is concerned, that can be done even before the Trial Court.

6. The Petition is hereby disposed of with the remedy available as per law.

NEENA BANSAL KRISHNA, J

JULY 29, 2025

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