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

+ **CRL.M.C. 7332/2025**

ANKIT KHERA & ORS.

.....Petitioners

Through: Ms. Madhushree Maitra and Mr. Ashish Shukla, Advocates along with petitioners.

versus

STATE NCT OF DELHI AND ANR.

.....Respondents

Through: Mr. Hitesh Vali, APP for the State with Ms. Pragati Gupta, Advocate Ms. Nancy and Mr. Rohan Pratap Singh, Advocates for R-2 along with R-2.

CORAM:

HON'BLE DR. JUSTICE SWARANA KANTA SHARMA

ORDER

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15.10.2025

CRL.M.A. 30762/2025 (exemption)

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

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3. By way of the present petition, the petitioners are seeking quashing of FIR bearing no. 0089/2025, registered at Police Station Janakpuri, Delhi for the commission of offences punishable under Sections 498A/406/34 of Indian Penal Code, 1860 (hereafter 'IPC').
4. Issue notice. Mr. Hitesh Vali, the learned APP accepts notice on



behalf of the State.

5. The petitioners and respondent no. 2 are present before this Court in person. They have been identified by their counsels and concerned Investigating Officer (IO) from Police Station Janakpuri, Delhi.

6. Briefly stated, facts of the present case are that the marriage between petitioner no. 1 and respondent no. 2 was solemnized on 01.11.2019, as per the Hindu rites and customs. No child was born from their wedlock. After some time, due to different lifestyles and temperamental differences, both the parties started residing separately from each other. Thereafter, respondent no. 2 got registered the present FIR against the petitioners under the relevant sections. However, it is stated that both the parties have now amicably settled the present matter *vide* Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) dated 17.05.2025, entered between them.

7. On a query made by this Court, respondent no.2 who has been identified by the concerned IO, has categorically stated that she has entered into compromise out of her own free will and without any pressure, coercion or threat. It is also stated by respondent no. 2 that the entire dispute has been amicably settled between the parties. Further it is stated that she has received the last payment of Rs. 7,00,000/- by way of Demand Draft No. 616379 drawn on Bank of Baroda due to her as per the said settlement. Therefore, she has no objection if the present FIR is quashed.

8. In view of the above fact that the parties have amicably resolved their differences of their own free will, without any coercion and no useful purpose will be served by continuing the proceedings, rather the same would create further acrimony between them. It would thus be in interest of justice to quash the abovementioned FIR and the proceedings pursuant thereto.



There is no legal impediment in quashing the FIR in question.

9. Accordingly, FIR bearing no. 0089/2025, registered at Police Station Janakpuri, Delhi for the commission of offences punishable under Sections 498A/406/34 of IPC and all consequential proceedings emanating therefrom are quashed.

10. In view of the above, the present petition stands disposed of.

11. The order be uploaded on the website forthwith.

DR. SWARANA KANTA SHARMA, J

OCTOBER 15, 2025/zp