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

+ **W.P.(CRL) 504/2026**

VAIBHAV KUMAR GAUR AND ORS

.....Petitioners

Through: Mr. Shailendra Bhardwaj, Advocate
along with petitioners in person
(through VC)

versus

STATE OF NCT OF DELHI AND ANR

.....Respondent

Through: Mr. Yasir Rauf Ansari, ASC
(Criminal), Mr. Alok Sharma,
Advocate.
Mr. Shoaib Khan, Advocate for R-2
along with R-2 in person (through
VC).

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HON'BLE DR. JUSTICE SWARANA KANTA SHARMA

ORDER

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10.02.2026

CRL.M.A. 4588/2026 (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 seek quashing of the FIR bearing No. 345/2024, registered at Police Station Malviya Nagar, Delhi, for the commission of offences punishable under Sections 498A/406/34 of the Indian Penal Code, 1860 (hereafter 'IPC').
4. Issue notice. The learned APP accepts notice on behalf of the State.



5. All the petitioners and respondent no. 2 are present before this Court through video-conferencing and have been identified by their counsel and Investigating Officer (IO) concerned, Police Station, Malviya Nagar, Delhi.

6. Brief facts of the case are that the marriage between the petitioner no. 1 and the respondent no. 2 was solemnized at Delhi on 11.11.2016, in accordance with Hindu rites and ceremonies. It is stated that due to various differences, disputes and issues had arisen between the petitioners and the respondent no. 2. Upon the complaint by respondent no. 2, the present FIR came to be registered against the petitioners. It is stated that with intervention of the family and friends, the parties have now amicably settled their dispute *vide* Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) dated 11.11.2024 executed at Mediation Centre, Saket Courts, New Delhi.

7. On a query made by this Court, respondent no. 2 who has been identified by the 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 that they both have been living together since December, 2024. Therefore, she has no objection if the present FIR is quashed.

8. In view of the above, that the parties have amicably resolved their differences out of their own free will, and without any coercion, 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. 345/2024, registered at Police Station Malviya Nagar, Delhi, for the commission of offences punishable under



Sections 498A/406/34 of IPC and all consequential proceedings emanating therefrom are quashed.

10. The petition stands disposed of.
11. The order be uploaded on the website forthwith.

DR. SWARANA KANTA SHARMA, J

FEBRUARY 10, 2026/vc