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* **IN THE HIGH COURT OF DELHI AT NEW DELHI**
+ CRL.M.C. 1373/2026, CRL.M.A. 5509/2026
DEEPAK SINGH & ORS.Petitioners
Through: Mr. Sachin Upadhyay, Adv.

versus

STATE GOVT OF NCT OF DELHI & ANR.Respondents
Through: Ms. Meenakshi Dahiya, APP for the
State with Mr. Bhanu Pratap Singh,
Adv.
SI- Parveen Tomhar, PS:
Kanjhawala

CORAM:
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SAURABH BANERJEE

ORDER

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19.02.2026

1. By virtue of the present petition under *Section 528* of the Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023 (**BNSS**), the petitioners seek quashing of FIR No.324/2022 dated 19.05.2022 registered at PS.: Kanjhawala, Delhi under *Sections 498A/406/34* of the Indian Penal Code, 1860 (**IPC**) and all proceedings emanating therefrom, in view of the Settlement dated 09.04.2025 [**Annexure P2**] arrived at between the petitioner no.1 and the respondent no.2 before Delhi Mediation Centre, Rohini District Courts, Delhi, which is accompanied by their respective proofs of identities.
2. Issue notice. Learned APP for the State accepts notice, and submits that she has no objection to the quashing of the aforesaid FIR.
3. Respondent no.2, present in Court, also accepts notice and affirms the terms of the aforesaid Settlement dated 09.04.2025, whereby the petitioner no.1 has already paid her a sum of Rs.2,50,000/- as full and final settlement of all her present, past and future claims including alimony,



maintenance, etc. She further submits that her marriage with the petitioner no.1 has since been dissolved by mutual consent *vide* order dated 23.01.2026 and she has no objection to the quashing of the present FIR.

4. The petitioners and the respondent no.2, present in Court, as well as their credentials, as on record, have been identified by the IO.

5. Since, a Settlement has already been arrived at voluntarily between the parties, and the parties shall remain bound by all the terms and conditions thereof, as also since, accompanying affidavit(s) of the parties involved have also been filed herewith. As such, following the law laid down by the Hon'ble Supreme Court in *Jitendra Raghuvanshi & Ors. vs. Babita Raguvanshi & Anr. (2013) 4 SCC 58*, *Gian Singh vs. State of Punjab & Anr. (2012) 10 SCC 303* and *Narinder Singh & Ors. vs. State of Punjab & Anr. (2014) 6 SCC 466*, continuation of the FIR No. 0324/2022 dated 19.05.2022 against the petitioners will be an exercise in futility.

6. Accordingly, the present petition is allowed and FIR No.324/2022 dated 19.05.2022 registered at PS.: Kanjhawala, Delhi under *Sections 498A/406/34* of the IPC and all proceedings emanating therefrom are hereby quashed.

7. Accordingly, the petition, alongwith the pending application, is disposed of in the aforesaid terms.

SAURABH BANERJEE, J

FEBRUARY 19, 2026/Ab