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

+ **CRL.M.C. 1387/2026, CRL.M.A. 5540/2026**

SHIVAM AND ORS

.....Petitioners

Through: Mr. Chaman Lal, Advs. alongwith
petitioners.

versus

STATE NCT OF DELHI AND ORS

.....Respondents

Through: Mr. Raghuinder Verma, APP for
the State with Mr. Aditya Vikram
Singh, Advocate
Ms. Taruna Devi, Adv. for R-2 to 5
alongwith R-2 to 5 in person.

CORAM:

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SAURABH BANERJEE

ORDER
18.02.2026

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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.509/2025 dated 13.10.2025 registered at PS: Subzi Mandi, Delhi under *Sections 110/351(2)/3(5)* of the Bhartiya Nyaya Sanhita, 2023 (**BNS**) and all proceedings emanating therefrom, in view of the Memorandum of Understanding dated 28.01.2026 [**Annexure P2**] arrived at between the petitioners and the respondent nos.2 to 5, which is accompanied by their respective proofs of identity.
2. Issue notice.
3. Learned APP for the State accepts notice, and submits that he has no objection to the quashing of the aforesaid FIR.



4. respondent nos.2 to 5, present in Court, also accept notices and affirm the terms of the aforesaid Settlement, and states that they have no objection to the quashing of the aforesaid FIR.

5. The petitioners and the respondent nos.2 to 5, present in Court, as well as their credentials, as on record, have been identified by the IO.

6. 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, 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 aforesaid FIR against the petitioners will be an exercise in futility.

7. Accordingly, the petition is allowed and FIR No.509/2025 dated 13.10.2025 registered at PS: Subzi Mandi, Delhi under Sections 110/351(2)/3(5) of the BNS and all proceedings emanating therefrom are hereby quashed.

8. Accordingly, the petition alongwith the pending application is disposed of.

SAURABH BANERJEE, J

FEBRUARY 18, 2026/bh