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

+ CRL.M.C. 3275/2026, CRL.M.A. 13328/2026

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.....Petitioner

Through: Mr. Dilip Kr. and Ms. Anuradha,
Adv. with petitioner in person

versus

THE STATE (NCT OF DELHI) AND ANR.Respondents

Through: Mr. Satish Kumar, APP for State
with Mr. Aditya Vikram Singh,
Adv. with SI Kuldeep Lamba, PS:
Amar Colony
Mr. Pawan Kumar and Mr. Ashish
Kr. Siwas, Adv. for R-2 with R-2
in person

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HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SAURABH BANERJEE

ORDER

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30.04.2026

1. By virtue of the present petition under *Section 528* of the Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023, the petitioner seeks quashing of case FIR No. 596/2016 dated 25.09.2016 registered at PS: Amar Colony, Delhi for offence under *Sections 354/506/509* Indian Penal Code, 1860 (**IPC**) and all proceedings emanating therefrom in view of fresh Memorandum of Understanding dated 17.04.2026, [**Annexure L**] arrived at between the petitioner and the respondent no.2, 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 no.2, present in Court, also accepts notice and affirms the terms of the aforesaid Memorandum of Understanding dated 17.04.2026 and submits that she intends to live peacefully. She further submits that she has no objection to the quashing of the aforesaid FIR.

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

6. Facts disclose that a settlement has already been arrived voluntarily between the petitioner and respondent no.2 and the present petition is accompanied by their respective affidavit(s) to the said effect. In view thereof, they shall remain bound by all the terms and conditions of the settlement arrived *inter se* themselves. 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, since there is nothing left to corroborate and prove the case of the prosecution, continuation of the aforesaid FIR against the petitioner will be an exercise in futility.

7. As such, the present petition is allowed and FIR No.596/2016 dated 25.09.2016 registered at PS: Amar Colony, Delhi for offence under Sections 354/506/509 IPC and all proceedings emanating therefrom are hereby quashed.

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

SAURABH BANERJEE, J

APRIL 30, 2026/bh