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

+ **CRL.M.C. 3561/2026**

SANJAY MAHTO

.....Petitioner

Through: Mr. Hemant Gulati, Advocate with
petitioner in person.

versus

STATE, NCT OF DELHI

.....Respondent

Through: Mr. Digam Singh Dagar, APP for
State.
Counsel (appearance not given) for R-
2 and R-2 in person.

CORAM:

HON'BLE DR. JUSTICE SWARANA KANTA SHARMA

ORDER

07.05.2026

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1. By way of the present petition, the petitioner seeks quashing of the FIR bearing No. 53/2019, registered at Police Station Mandir Marg, Delhi, for the commission of offences punishable under Sections 354/354B/506/34/323 of the Indian Penal Code, 1860 (hereafter '*IPC*') and all consequent proceedings emanating therefrom on the basis of settlement arrived at between the parties.
2. Issue notice. The learned APP accepts notice on behalf of the State.
3. All the petitioners and respondent no. 2 are present before this Court and have been identified by their counsel and Investigating Officer (IO) concerned, Police Station, Mandir Marg, Delhi.



4. Brief facts of the case are that the present FIR arose out of a neighbourhood incident dated 23.05.2019 at about 09:30 PM, wherein a trivial issue pertaining to children playing in a park escalated into a verbal altercation and subsequently into a quarrel between both the parties. That the incident occurred due to a misunderstanding, heat of the moment, wherein both the parties sustained minor injuries. 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 15.04.2026.

5. 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. Therefore, she has no objection if the present FIR is quashed.

6. 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.

7. Accordingly, FIR bearing No. 53/2019, registered at Police Station Mandir Marg, Delhi, for the commission of offences punishable under Sections 354/354B/506/34/323 of IPC and all consequential proceedings emanating therefrom are quashed.

8. The petition stands disposed of.



9. The order be uploaded on the website forthwith.

DR. SWARANA KANTA SHARMA, J

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