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IN THE HIGH COURT OF DELHI AT NEW DELHI

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CRL.M.C. 3567/2026

AMARNATH SHARMA

.....Petitioner

Through: Mr. Pradeep Singh Rana, Adv. with
Petitioner in person

versus

STATE THROUGH SHO & ORS.

.....Respondents

Through: Mr. Raghuinder Verma, APP for
State with Mr. Aditya Vikram
Singh and Ms. Upasna Bakshi,
Advocates
Mr. Rahul, Adv. for R-3 to 7
Respondents in person

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HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SAURABH BANERJEE

ORDER

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29.05.2026

1. By virtue of the present petition under *Section 528* of the Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023, the petitioner seek quashing of FIR No.6/2020 dated 15.01.2020 registered at PS.: Budh Vihar, District North-West, New Delhi under *Sections 288/338/304A* of the Indian Penal Code, 1860 (*IPC*) and all proceedings emanating therefrom in view of Memorandum of Settlement dated 17.02.2020 [*Annexure C*], arrived at between the petitioner and Sirajul Chowdhary (now deceased), Memorandum of Settlement dated 21.02.2022 [*Annexure D*], arrived at between the petitioner and respondent no.2 and Memorandum of Settlement dated 25.04.2026 [*Annexure E*], arrived at between the petitioner and respondent no.4, which are accompanied by their respective



proofs of identity.

2. Issue notice. Learned APP for the State accepts notice and submits that he has no objection to the quashing of the aforesaid FIR.

3. Respondent nos.2 to 6 in person, present in Court, also accept notice and affirm the terms of the aforesaid Memorandums of Settlement dated 17.02.2020, 21.02.2022 and 25.04.2026, whereby the petitioner has already paid them the total settlement amounts towards full and final settlement of all their present, past and future claims, etc. and submit that they have no objection to the quashing of the aforesaid FIR.

4. The petitioner and the respondent nos.2 to 6, present in Court, as well as their credentials, as on record, have been identified by the IO.

5. Facts disclose that a settlement has already been arrived voluntarily between the petitioner and the respondent nos.2 to 6 and the present petition is accompanied by their respective affidavit(s) *qua* 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 Raghuwanshi & 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.

6. Accordingly, the present petition is allowed and FIR No.6/2020 dated 15.01.2020 registered at PS.: Budh Vihar, District North-West, New Delhi under *Sections 288/338/304A* of the IPC and all proceedings emanating therefrom are hereby quashed.



7. As such, the present petition, alongwith the pending application, is disposed of in the aforesaid term.

SAURABH BANERJEE, J

MAY 29, 2026/rr