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

+ CRL.M.C. 4983/2022

OM PRAKASH BHARDWAJ

.....Petitioner

Through: Mr. Sunil Choudhary Advocate
(through VC)

Versus

STATE & ANR.

.....Respondents

Through: Mr. Satish Kumar, APP for State
Mr. Rahul Sharma and Mr. Utkarsh
Jaiswal, Advocates for R-2

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CRL.REV.P. 180/2021

GEETA RANI

.....Petitioner

Through: Mr. Rahul Sharma and Mr. Utkarsh
Jaiswal, Advocates.

Versus

THE STATE GOVT. OF NCT OF DELHI AND ANR.

.....Respondents

Through: Mr. Satish Kumar, APP for State

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CRL.REV.P. 729/2022

OM PRAKASH BHARDWAJ

.....Petitioner

Through: Mr. Sunil Choudhary Advocate
(through VC)

Versus

STATE OF NCT OF DELHI & ANR.

.....Respondents

Through: Mr. Satish Kumar, APP for State



Mr. Rahul Sharma and Mr. Utkarsh
Jaiswal, Advocates for R-2

CORAM:
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SAURABH BANERJEE

ORDER
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13.03.2026

CRL.M.C. 4983/2022 & CRL.REV.P. 729/2022

1. Learned counsel for the petitioners in view of the settlement agreement dated 01.05.2025 entered *inter se* the parties before the Delhi High Court Mediation and Conciliation Centre (**DHCMCC**), seeks leave to withdraw the present petitions.

2. As such, the present petitions are dismissed as withdrawn.

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3. Learned counsel for the petitioner in view of the settlement agreement dated 01.05.2025 entered *inter se* the parties before the Delhi High Court Mediation and Conciliation Centre (**DHCMCC**) seeks leave to compound the offence.

4. Considering the parties have already resolved their disputes *inter se* themselves *vide* settlement agreement dated 01.05.2025, as also since the offence under *Section 138* of the Negotiable Instrument Act, 1881 (**NI Act**) is compoundable under *Section 147* thereof, it would be just and proper to grant permission to compound the offence.

5. Accordingly, the offence under *Section 138* NI Act is compounded and the composition stands recorded.

6. Resultantly, the present revision petition is allowed. The impugned order is thus set aside and the petitioner stands acquitted as per *Section 320(8)* of the Code of the Criminal procedure.



7. The present petition is accordingly disposed of.
8. A copy of this order be kept in all the connected matters.

SAURABH BANERJEE, J

MARCH 13, 2026/So