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

% *Date of Decision: 21.01.2026*

+ **W.P.(CRL) 222/2026**

KAUSHLENDER BHARDWAJ

.....Petitioner

Through: Mr. Rajnish, Mr. Rahul and Mr.
Kuldip Singh, Advocates.

versus

THE STATE (NCT OF DELHI) & ANR.

.....Respondents

Through: Mr. Anand V Khatri, ASC with
IO/ASI Deshpal, PS Narela.
Mr. Deepak, Advocate, for injured
with injured in person.

CORAM: JUSTICE GIRISH KATHPALIA

J U D G M E N T (ORAL)

1. Petitioner seeks quashing of case FIR No. 639/2022 of Police Station Narela for the offence under Section 279/337 IPC on the ground that complainant *de facto* (respondent no.2) has compromised the disputes with the petitioner.

2. Learned ASC accepts notice and on instructions of IO/ASI, Deshpal Singh submits that State has no objection if this petition is allowed.

3. The complainant *de facto* identified by the IO also is present along with his counsel and accepts notice.



4. Broadly speaking, the allegation against the petitioner is that he was driving his car in a rash and negligent manner and hit against the complainant *de facto* causing him injuries, so the FIR under Section 279/337 IPC was registered.

5. I have spoken with the complainant *de facto* and he submits that he does not wish to pursue the trial and he has settled the disputes with the petitioner.

6. The MLC of the complainant *de facto* reflects only one abrasion on the back. Besides, according to the MLC, the doctor suspected the complainant *de facto* to be under influence of alcohol.

7. Considering the above circumstances, I am satisfied that it would be in the interest of justice, not to push the parties through trial.

8. Therefore, the petition is allowed and the FIR No. 639/2022 of Police Station Narela for the offence under Section 279/337 IPC as well as proceedings arising out of the same are quashed.

**GIRISH KATHPALIA
(JUDGE)**

JANUARY 21, 2026/ry