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## IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH

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CRM-M-68436-2025 Date of Decision:-05.12.2025

Mohd. Arif and others

.....Petitioners

Versus

State of Haryana and another

.....Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ALOK JAIN

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Present: Mohd. Uzair, Advocate for the petitioners.

Ms. Swati Batra, Senior DAG, Haryana.

## **ALOK JAIN, J. (Oral)**

The present petition has been filed seeking quashing of FIR No. 212 dated 16.06.2025 under Sections 323, 498-A, 506, 509 and 34 of Indian Penal Code, registered at Dabua Police Station, District Faridabad (Annexure P-1) along with all subsequent proceedings arising therefrom.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioners submits that the allegations levelled in the FIR are that when the complainant disclosed about the act and conduct of her husband to the mother-in-law, she was told that she has not even met the dowry demands and on top of that, she complained about her husband. It is emphasized that in fact the mother-in-law of the complainant had died 23 years ago and therefore, the entire FIR is false and concocted. Learned counsel for the petitioners further submits that the petitioners No. 3 and 4 are residents of Delhi and were not living in the shared household with the complainant and hence, the allegations against them are also incorrect. Learned counsel for the petitioners has contended



that the challan has been presented; however, the same has not been placed on record.

- 3. Heard learned counsel for the petitioners at length.
- 4. The word "Saas" (mother-in-law) has been used only at one place in the entire FIR. The complainant in the starting of the complaint has not arrayed the mother-in-law anywhere. Apart from that there is not even a single averment has been made against the mother-in-law, as apparently, the same seems to be a typographical error or an oversight. The FIR has to be read in totality and there are disputed question of facts which need to be addressed after going through the evidence.
- 5. In light of the above, this Court does not find any merit in the present petition and accordingly, the same stands dismissed.

(ALOK JAIN) JUDGE

**December 05, 2025** 

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Whether speaking/reasoned:- Yes/No Whether Reportable:- Yes/No