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**IN THE HIGH COURT OF MADHYA PRADESH
AT INDORE**

**BEFORE
HON'BLE SHRI JUSTICE SUBODH ABHYANKAR**

ON THE 28th OF FEBRUARY, 2023

MISC. CRIMINAL CASE No. 1248 of 2023

BETWEEN:-

1. SHEETAL S/O VISHNUPRASAD RATHORE, AGED ABOUT 35 YEARS, OCCUPATION: BUSINESS R/O GRAM DOUBLE CHOWKI TEHSIL BAROTHA DIST. DEWAS (MADHYA PRADESH)
2. VISHNU PRASAD S/O NANDRAM, AGED ABOUT 60 YEARS, OCCUPATION: AGRICULTURIST R/O GRAM DOUBLE CHOWKI TEH. BAROTHA DIST. DEWAS (MADHYA PRADESH)

.....PETITIONERS

(BY SHRI ANUJ YADAV, ADVOCATE)

AND

1. THE STATE OF MADHYA PRADESH STATION HOUSE OFFICER THROUGH POLICE STATION KHUDEL DISTRICT INDORE (MADHYA PRADESH)
2. LABHENDRA SINGH S/O BHAGWAN SINGH, AGED ABOUT 55 YEARS, OCCUPATION: AGRICULTURIST R/O GRAM KHUDEL DIST. INDORE (MADHYA PRADESH)

.....RESPONDENTS

(BY MS. HARSHLATA SONI, PANEL LAWYER FOR THE RESPONDENT NO.1/STATE AND SHRI PARVEZ KHAN, ADVOCATE FOR RESPONDENT NO.2)

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This petition coming on for admission this day, the court passed the following:

ORDER

This petition has been filed under Section 482 of Cr.P.C. for quashing the proceedings in S.T. No.648 of 2022 under Sections 420, 406, 409 and 34 of

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IPC pending before XI A.S.J., Indore

The matter was earlier sent to the Principal Registrar of this Court for recording the statements of the parties as a compromise has been struck between the parties and an application under Section 320 (2) of Cr.P.C. has also been filed.

As per the report submitted by the Principal Registrar on 13.02.2023, the parties have settled the matter amicably without any undue influence, pressure etc.

On due consideration of the documents filed on record, taking note of the fact that no public element is involved in the matter as there was only one complainant, who was allegedly duped by the petitioners, this Court has no legal impediment in allowing the petition.

Accordingly, the petition is allowed as also the application under Section 320(2) of Cr.P.C. for compounding of offence and the matter is compounded between the parties.

Resultantly, the petitioners stand acquitted and the further proceedings in S.T. No.648 of 2022 pending before XI ASJ, Indore is hereby quashed.

(SUBODH ABHYANKAR)
JUDGE

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