

CS (COMM) No.: 577/25

Shilpa Khanna

v.

Vipul Sachdeva

19.7.2025

Present: Mr. Santosh Kumar, Advocate for the plaintiff.
The defendant in person along with Mr. Raghvender Singh, Advocate.

Mr. Ajay Bansal, Advocate for the defendant through Cisco Webex Meetings.

Vakalatnama filed by counsel for the defendant.

The defendant was served with the summons on 31.5.2025 and had time till 30.6.2025, in ordinary course, to file the written statement.

No written statement has been filed on behalf of the defendant even after passing of eighteen days from the opening of the courts after summer vacation. No application is made on behalf of the defendant for extension of time for filing the written statement under Order VIII Rule 1 of CPC giving sufficient cause for not filing the written statement within thirty days. Further time sought on behalf of the defendant for filing the written statement. Since no application in writing has been made on behalf of the defendant seeking extension of time in filing the written statement, therefore, no ground is made out for granting further time to the defendant to file written statement. Right to file written statement by the defendant stands closed.

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Put up for consideration on the point whether a decree may be passed in favour of the plaintiff without calling upon him to lead evidence on 19.8.2025.

(MANOJ KUMAR-1)
District Judge (Commercial Court)-05
(Central)/ THC/ Delhi/ 19.7.2025