

CA No. 72/2026
RAMESH CHANDRA Vs. STATE

25.05.2026

Present: Appellant in person with Sh. Ravinder Kumar, Ld Legal Aid Counsel
Shri Girish Kumar Manhas, Ld. Addl. PP for State.
Sh R.K Doohan, Ld Counsel for the R2 along with R2

Today reply to the present appeal has been filed by Ld Counsel for R2 along with reply to the application filed by the appellant u/s 148 of N.I Act seeking waiver / exemption from depositing 20% of the fine/ compensation amount during the pendency of the present appeal. Same is taken on record. Copy supplied.

Ld Counsel for the respondent has also relied upon the Judgment of Hon'ble Apex Court in ***Surender Singh Deshwal & Ors Vs Virender Gandhi, 2019 11 SCC 341*** in support of his reply.

Heard on the application of the appellant. Record perused.

Vide my separate order pronounced in the open court, I have dismissed the application of the appellant. Let 20% of the fine / compensation amount be deposited by the appellant within a period of 60 days from today in terms of Section 148 (2) of the N.I Act, 1881.

List the matter now for arguments on the present appeal on **20.07.2026**.

In the meantime, parties are also referred to mediation center for exploring possibilities of settlement on **02.06.2026 at 11:30 AM**.

Ahlmad is directed to send the case file before Mediation Centre.

(Ravinder Singh - II)
ASJ-05/South-West District,
Dwarka/ Delhi/25.05.2026