

CA NO 466-2025
NEERAJ KHULLAR VS. GAURAV SHARMA
CNR No. DLSW01-008277-2025

04.06.2026

File taken up today on an application moved on behalf of the applicant / appellant under Section 148 of the N.I. Act read with Section 389 Cr.P.C for taking on record a demand draft of ₹4,80,000/- as directed vide order dated 04.09.2025 and for issuing directions to release the applicant / appellant.

Present: Sh. Ram Kumar, Ld. counsel for the applicant / appellant.

Ms. Sanjana, Ld. counsel for the respondent with
respondent.

I have heard the arguments and perused the record.

1. It is submitted by the Ld. counsel for the applicant / appellant that applicant / appellant has submitted a Demand Draft of ₹4,80,000/- dated 03.06.2026, drawn at South Indian Bank in compliance of order dated 04.09.2025 and is in custody since 03.06.2026 and also ready to pay a cost of ₹10,000/- to the respondent and hence, it is requested that the present application be allowed.

2. On the other hand, it is submitted by the Ld. counsel for the respondent that she has no objection, if the above said application is allowed. However, respondent has moved an application that FDR/DD be released to the respondent, to which Ld. counsel for the appellant has no objection. **Cost of ₹10,000/- is paid to the Ld. counsel for the respondent.**

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3. It is a matter of record that vide order dated 04.09.2025, the appellant was directed to deposit an amount equivalent to 10% of the compensation amount in the form of FDR within a period of two months from the date of the said order, failing which, the suspension of sentence granted to him would stand revoked. However, despite giving various opportunities, the applicant / appellant has failed to comply with the order dated 04.09.2025 and due to non-compliance of the order, the applicant / appellant was taken into judicial custody in the present case.

3. Keeping in view the facts and circumstances of the case and in view of the submissions made above and considering the fact that the applicant / appellant has deposited the Demand Draft of ₹4,80,000/- in the Court in compliance of order dated 04.09.2025 and the fact that previous cost of ₹10,000/- has also been paid, **the present application stands allowed**. The applicant / appellant is hereby granted bail on furnishing personal bond in sum of Rs.20,000/- with one surety in the like amount to the satisfaction of this Court.

4. Let Demand Draft of ₹4,80,000/- dated 03.06.2026, drawn at South Indian Bank be released to Sh. Gaurav Sharma and concerned Bank is directed to release the amount in favour of Sh. Gaurav Sharma along with interest, if any. It is made clear that in case, appellant succeeds in the appeal, the respondent shall return the amount of the Demand Draft along with interest, as ordered by the Court. **Both applications stand disposed of accordingly.**

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5. At joint request, the date given as 06.07.2026 is hereby cancelled. Re-notify the matter for arguments on 22.09.2026. Copy of this order be given dasti to both the parties, as prayed for. Copy of this order be also sent to Jail Superintendent for information and compliance.

(Deepak Wason)
ASJ-04: South-west District:
Dwarka Courts: New Delhi
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