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* **IN THE HIGH COURT OF DELHI AT NEW DELHI**
+ **CONT.CAS(C) 476/2026**
SHRI SHARDA COLLEGE OF EDUCATION & ANR.....Petitioners
Through: Mr. Amitesh Kumar, Ms. Priti
Kumari, Mr. Pankaj Kumar Roy,
Advs.

versus

MS RASHMI SHUKLA REGIONAL DIRECTOR WESTERN
REGIONAL COMMITTEE NCTE & ANR.Respondents
Through:

CORAM:
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SACHIN DATTA

ORDER
23.03.2026

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1. The present petition alleges wilful disobedience/ non-compliance of the directions contained in the judgment/order dated 17.12.2025 passed by this Court in W.P.(C) 19116/2025. The operative direction therein reads as under:-

5. This writ petition is disposed of leaving it open to the Petitioners to make a fresh application for inspection of the new premises, as aforementioned, for running the courses in question. As and when the application is received by the Respondents, decision will be taken within eight weeks from the date of the receipt. Needless to state that if the application is compliant with the applicable rules and regulations and is complete in all respects, steps will be taken to inspect the new premises. In case of any shortcomings, Respondents will send an intimation pointing out the deficiencies and Petitioners will take steps to cure/rectify them. If for any reason, the approval cannot be granted, a reasoned and speaking order will be passed by the Respondents and communicate the same to the Petitioners. This entire exercise shall be completed within eight weeks.



2. As noticed, the above direction is clearly time bound. Learned counsel for the petitioner emphasises that the urgency arises from the fact that the existing premises from which the petitioners are operating are in a very poor and hazardous condition, rendering them unsuitable for educational purposes. Due to safety concerns, it is imperative for the petitioners to shift the premises as expeditiously as possible.
3. Issue notice.
4. Learned counsel, as aforesaid, accepts notice on behalf of the respondents.
5. It is assured and undertaken by learned counsel for the respondents, on instructions, that an inspection would be duly conducted and the decision making process shall be completed latest within a period of two weeks from today. The said statement is taken on record.
6. List for reporting compliance on 15.04.2026.

SACHIN DATTA, J

MARCH 23, 2026/uk