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* **IN THE HIGH COURT OF DELHI AT NEW DELHI**

+ W.P.(C) 5331/2026

RAJPAL

.....Petitioner

Through: Mr. Abhay Kumar Bhargava,
Mr. Satyaarth Sinha, Mr.
Ajinkya Dhalwade, Mr. Sanchit
Kumar, Advs.

versus

UNION OF INDIA & ORS.

.....Respondents

Through: Mr. Jatin Teotia, SPC with Mr.
Vinay Kaushik, GP with Mr.
Prakhar Vashisth, Adv.

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HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANIL KSHETARPAL

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE AMIT MAHAJAN

ORDER

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22.04.2026

1. Through the present Petition, the Petitioner prays for direction to the Respondents to release the benefit of *ex-gratia* in terms of Office Memorandum, as he was boarded out of service owing to disability on 24.02.2024.
2. Learned counsel representing the parties are *ad idem* that the issue arising in the present Petition is squarely covered by the judgment passed by the Division Bench of this Court in **W.P.(C) 4042/2025** captioned **Kalu Ram vs. Union of India & Ors.**, decided on 10.12.2025.
3. Keeping in view the aforesaid position and with the consent of learned counsel representing the Respondents, the present Petition is disposed of while directing the Respondents to release the benefit of



ex-gratia to the Petitioner in terms of the judgment passed in ***Kalu Ram (Supra)***, within a period of next three months.

ANIL KSHETARPAL, J.

AMIT MAHAJAN, J.

APRIL 22, 2026

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