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* **IN THE HIGH COURT OF DELHI AT NEW DELHI**
+ **CRL.A. 382/2024**

VIPIN SINGH

.....Appellant

Through: Mr. Sunil Choudhary, Adv.

versus

STATE (NCT OF DELHI)

.....Respondent

Through: Mr. Laksh Khanna, APP for the
State with Insp. Mukesh Khata
& SI Mahendra Patel.

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+ **CRL.A. 703/2024**

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.....Appellant

Through: Ms. Fozia Rahman, Counsel for
DHCLSC along with Mr.
Sikander A. Siddiqui, Ms.
Aafreen, Ms. Zobia Rehman
Khan & Ms. Rashmi Pandey
Dixit, Advs.

versus

STATE OF NCT OF DELHI

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& SI Mahendra Patel.

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HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SUBRAMONIUM PRASAD

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARISH VAIDYANATHAN

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ORDER

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22.05.2025

CRL.A. 382/2024 & CRL.M.(BAIL) 465/2025 (For suspension of sentence during the pendency of appeal)

CRL.A. 703/2024 & CRL.M.(BAIL) 1308/2024 (Seeking suspension of sentence and release of the appellant on bail during the pendency of appeal)



1. The present applications have been filed under Section 389 read with Section 482 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973 seeking suspension of sentence and release of the Appellants during the pendency of the present appeals.
2. In the present appeals which arise under Section 430 read with Section 528 of the Bhartiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita 2023, by the Impugned Judgement and Order dated 07.11.2023 and 08.04.2024 respectively, which arise out of the FIR no. 779/2013 before Police Station Narela, the Appellants have been convicted for offence under Section 302 read with Section 34 of the Indian Penal Code, 1860 and by separate Order of Sentence dated 08.04.2024, they have been sentenced to life imprisonment, with a fine of Rs. 25,000/-.
3. It is fairly stated by the learned counsel for the Appellant in CRL.A. 382/2024 that instead of pressing the application for suspension of sentence, the appeals be finally heard.
4. This Court is inclined to accept the suggestion given by the learned counsel for the Appellant.
5. List these appeals on 21.08.2025 for hearing.
6. In view of the fact that the Appellant in CRL.A. 703/2024 has already undergone eight years of incarceration, in case the appeal is not heard on that day, it is open for the Appellant to press the application for suspension of sentence.

SUBRAMONIUM PRASAD, J.

HARISH VAIDYANATHAN SHANKAR, J.

MAY 22, 2025/v/va