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

+ **CRL.A. 523/2025**

RAM JANAK

.....Appellant

Through: Mr. Dhruva Bhagat, Advocate.

versus

STATE (NCT OF DELHI)

.....Respondent

Through: Ms. Manjeet Arya, APP for State with  
Inspector Dinesh Kumar PS Shaheen  
Bagh, Inspector Amarjeet Singh PS  
ACB GCNTD of Delhi and W/SI N.  
Tianenla PS Geeta Colony.

**CORAM:**

**HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE GIRISH KATHPALIA**

**ORDER**

**23.04.2025**

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[Physical Hearing/Hybrid Hearing (as per request)]

**CRL.M.A. 12163/2025 (exemption)**

1. Allowed, subject to all just exceptions.

**CRL.M.A. 12164/2025 (for condonation of delay of 80 days in filing the appeal)**

2. For reasons mentioned therein and there being no objection from the side of State, this application is allowed and delay in filing the appeal is condoned.

**CRL.A. 523/2025 & CRL.M.(BAIL) 883/2025 (for suspension of sentence)**

3. The appellant was convicted for offence under Section 4 POCSO Act



by way of the impugned judgment and was sentenced to 20 years imprisonment and fine of Rs. 5,000/- on the allegation of sodomy on a 90% mentally challenged boy.

4. Digitized record of Trial Court be requisitioned.
5. Learned APP accepts notice.
6. Learned counsel for appellant seeks and is allowed to file amended memo of parties within one week impleading the victim through father as a party after redacting their names and other particulars. In the meanwhile, Investigating Officer shall inform the father of the victim about this appeal.
7. Relist on 22.07.2025.

**GIRISH KATHPALIA, J**

**APRIL 23, 2025/DR**

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