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* **IN THE HIGH COURT OF DELHI AT NEW DELHI**
+ CRL.M.C. 4546/2023 & CRL.M.A. 38541/2024 & CRL.M.A.
38544-38546/2024
REKHA RANI

.....Petitioner

Through: Mr. Anindya Malhotra, DHCLSC with
Ms. Ishita Sehrawat, Mr. Durgesh,
Advocates alongwith Ms. Rekha Rani
in person.

versus

SUDHIR KUMAR KHANNA & ANR.

.....Respondent

Through: Mr. Harshit Jain, Mr. Utsav, Ms. Abha
Sinha and Ms. Priyanka Yadav,
Advocates alongwith respondent in
person.

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CORAM:
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE MANOJ JAIN

ORDER

% **23.03.2026**

1. There is change in the counsel from the side of the petitioner and the petitioner is present alongwith the newly engaged legal-aid counsel.
2. Mr. Harshit Jain, learned counsel for respondent is also present alongwith respondent.
3. Parties were asked whether matter can be sent to Mediation. Respondent states that he has no objection.
4. Petitioner is, however, having apprehension that if matter is referred for Mediation, the proceedings of the present matter would get delayed.
5. However, it is never too late to find out possibility of any amicable settlement and since both the sides look *prima-facie* agreeable to reference of the matter to the Mediation, they would appear before the *Delhi High Court Mediation & Conciliation Centre* on 27.03.2026.
6. The learned Organizing Secretary is requested to appoint a Senior Mediator.
7. Let the outcome be awaited for 15.05.2026.
8. It is, however, clarified that in case, the matter does not get settled, both the sides shall come prepared for final arguments.

MANOJ JAIN, J

MARCH 23, 2026/ss/sa