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IN THE HIGH COURT OF DELHI AT NEW DELHI

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CS(OS) 436/2022

SMRITI ZUBIN IRANI

.....Plaintiff

Through: Mr. Kartik Yadav, Mr. Manhar
Singh, Ms. Sumedha Chadha &
Mr. Sankalp Singh, Advs.

versus

PAWAN KHERA & ORS.

.....Defendant

Through: Ms. Eesha Bakshi & Ms. Ayesha
Khan, Advs. for D-1 to 3.

CORAM:

**JOINT REGISTRAR (JUDICIAL) SH. DEEPAK
DABAS (DHJS)**

ORDER

24.03.2026

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**IA No.9064/2024 filed by plaintiff seeking condonation
of delay in filing Replication.**

1. The matter has been put up before me in terms of order dated 12.02.2026 passed by the Hon'ble Court for completion of pleadings and admission/denial of documents.
2. Counsel for plaintiff submits that captioned IA has been filed by plaintiff for condonation of delay in filing Replication and the matter cannot proceed further till disposal of said IA.
3. Counsel for plaintiff has drawn attention of this Court towards Chapter VII Rule 5 of Delhi High Court (Original Side) Rules, 2018 and has also relied upon a case titled as ***"Ram Sarup Lugani & Anr. Vs. Nirmal Lugani & Ors., being FAO(OS) 47/2020 & CM Appl.21622-23/2020, passed by Hon'ble Division Bench of Delhi High Court on 19.10.2020"*** and more



particularly para no.23 of said judgement and submits that an application seeking condonation of delay in filing Replication can be decided only by the Hon'ble Court and the captioned IA be placed before the Hon'ble Court on the date already fixed i.e. 27.07.2026.

4. Same is not opposed by counsel for defendant.
5. Request is allowed.
6. The matter be placed before the Hon'ble Court on date already fixed i.e. 27.07.2026 for further directions.

DEEPAK DABAS (DHJS),
JOINT REGISTRAR (JUDICIAL)
MARCH 24, 2026/ab