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

+ **CS(COMM) 465/2025**

HARPEET NARULA AND OTHERS

.....Plaintiff

Through: Ms. Neena Jain, Ms. Anjali Sisodia and
Mr. Shantanu Jain, Advocates.

versus

SURMAYA FASHION LLP

.....Defendant

Through: Mr. Nimish Chib and and Mr. Vartul
Vishnoi, Advocates for D-2.
Mr. Rajnish Kumar Jha and Ms. Dolli
Rani, Advocates for R-3.

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HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE TUSHAR RAO GEDELA

ORDER

% **14.01.2026**

1. Learned counsel for the defendant points out that though the written statement which was filed with a delay of 28 days has already been condoned by the Joint Registrar *vide* order dated 03.12.2025, and is already on record, the reply to the I.A. 12133/2025 under Order XXXIX Rules 1 and 2, Code of Civil Procedure, 1908 which was also filed alongwith the written statements, has however not been placed on record. He prays that the said reply be taken on record in view of the aforesaid circumstances.
2. In view of the above, the delay in filing the reply to the application under Order XXXIX Rules 1 and 2 is condoned. The Registry is directed to place the reply on record.
3. Rejoinder, if any, to the said application be filed by the plaintiff within four weeks from date with an advance copy to the learned counsel for the defendant no.2.



4. Replication, if any, be filed within the time prescribed by the Delhi High Court Original Side Rules, 2018.
5. Learned counsel for the defendant no.3 submits that the written statement alongwith the reply to the I.A. 12133/2025 was filed, however were lying under objections.
6. He further submits that the written statements alongwith reply was re-filed on 13.01.2026. He submits that he will take appropriate steps to ensure that the same are placed on record before the next date of hearing.
7. List on the date fixed i.e. 11.03.2026 before the Joint Registrar for consideration of the condonation of delay application filed on behalf of defendant no.3.
8. List before the Court on 18.05.2026.
9. It is also submitted by the parties that the settlement talks before the Delhi High Court Mediation Centre have failed. The same is noted.

TUSHAR RAO GEDELA, J

JANUARY 14, 2026

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