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

+ **W.P.(C) 7087/2025 & CM APPL. 32047/2025**

HCC VCCL JOINT VENTURE

.....Petitioner

Through: Mr. Bharat Raichandani, Mr. Deepak Khokhar, Ms. Annweshaa Laskar, Ms. Prachi Sharma, Mr. Chaitanya G. Tripathi and Mr. Rishav Raj, Advs.

versus

UNION OF INDIA & ORS.

.....Respondents

Through: Mr. Aditya Singla, SSC, CBIC with Ms. Arya Suresh Nair, Mr. Dhananjay Gautam and Mr. Arvind Menon, Advs.

CORAM:

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE NITIN WASUDEO SAMBRE

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE AJAY DIGPAUL

ORDER

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19.02.2026

1. The Registry reports that the counter-affidavit and rejoinder have not been filed.
2. Learned counsel for the respondents submits that the counter-affidavit has already been filed. However, the same is not on record.
3. If the counter-affidavit has not been tagged on the ground of delay, the delay in filing the counter-affidavit stands condoned. Objections, if any, be removed within a period of two weeks from today. In such an eventuality, the counter-affidavit of the respondents be taken on record.



4. Let rejoinder be filed within a period of three weeks from today.
5. List on 15th July 2026.

NITIN WASUDEO SAMBRE, J

AJAY DIGPAUL, J

FEBRUARY 19, 2026/AS