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

+ **C.A.(COMM.IPD-TM) 25/2025 & I.A. 13397/2025**

HARPAL SINGH GULATI

.....Appellant

Through: Mr. Rahul Beruar, Ms. Nidhi Jain and
Ms. Manini Sidhu, Advocates

versus

REGISTRAR OF TRADEMARKS

.....Respondent

Through: Mr. Vipin Wason, Ms. Stuti Wason
and Mr. Viny Nancy, Advocates

CORAM:

HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE MANMEET PRITAM SINGH ARORA

ORDER

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27.10.2025

1. The present appeal has been filed challenging the order dated 20th February, 2025, passed by the Trade Marks Registry, whereby the trademark application filed on behalf of the appellant for its mark 'Martban -MAA KE HAATH SA' has been rejected.
2. Learned counsel for the appellant states that the controversy in the present matter is that the appellant herein is claiming to be the prior user of the subject mark 'Martban -MAA KE HAATH SA'.
3. Mr. Vipin Wason, Advocate has entered appearance on behalf of M/s Martbaan, proprietor of the cited mark bearing nos. 4019337 and 4772845 in the examination report. He seeks liberty to intervene in this matter on behalf of proprietor of M/s Martbaan.
4. Learned counsel for the appellant states that he has no objection to M/s Martbaan being heard, in the present matter. Accordingly, M/s



Martbaan is impleaded as respondent no. 2.

5. The appellant is directed to file amended memo of parties within one (1) week and supply a copy of the entire paper-book, along with the written submissions supplied by respondent no. 1, to respondent no. 2 within three (3) days.

6. The respondent no. 2 will file its reply to the appeal within three (3) weeks.

7. The appellant is at liberty to file rejoinder thereto, if any, within two (2) weeks.

8. List the matter before the Ld. Joint Registrar (J) for completion of pleadings on **11.12.2025**.

9. In addition, parties are directed to file written submissions not exceeding five pages two weeks prior to the next date of hearing before Court.

10. List the matter before the Court on **12.02.2026**.

MANMEET PRITAM SINGH ARORA, J

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