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* **IN THE HIGH COURT OF DELHI AT NEW DELHI**
+ **CRL.A. 20/2020**

ROHIT

.....Appellant

Through: Mr. Harshit Dabas, Advocate.

versus

STATE

.....Respondent

Through: Mr. Pradeep Gahalot, APP for State

CORAM:

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE MANOJ KUMAR OHRI

ORDER

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15.09.2025

1. The matter pertains to 'Oldest Targeted Matter' and is taken up upon mentioning.
2. Learned counsel appearing for the appellant seeks an adjournment on the ground that he needs some time to go through the record for making submissions.
3. At request, renotify on 02.12.2025.
4. Considering that the matter relates to the offence under Section 376 IPC, the IO shall inform the complainant about her right to free legal aid/representation in accordance with the decision of the Supreme Court in Jagjeet Singh v. Ashish Mishra, reported as **(2022) 9 SCC 321** and if required, shall assist the prosecutrix in approaching the Member Secretary, Delhi High Court Legal Services Committee who may appoint a panel counsel, if so requested. IO shall also supply copy of the appeal paper book to the prosecutrix as well as to the counsel, if so appointed.
5. In the meantime, a report be also requisitioned from the Member



Secretary, Delhi State Legal Services Authority, Rouse Avenue Courts Complex, New Delhi on the aspect of disbursal of compensation and receipt thereof by the victim. The IO is directed to facilitate the victim in approaching the Member Secretary, DSLSA and ensure that subject to completion of formalities, the awarded amount be released to the victim at the earliest, if not already done.

MANOJ KUMAR OHRI, J

SEPTEMBER 15, 2025/rd