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

+ CRL.A. 133/2022

IMRAN

.....Appellant

Through: Mr. Mohd. Kashif, Advocate

versus

THE STATE (GOVT. OF NCT OF DELHI)Respondent

Through: Mr. Hemant Mehla, APP for the State
with W/SI Sapna, SI Pardeep, PS
Mehrauli, Delhi
Mr. Archit Upadhayay, Advocate
(DHCLSC) for Prosecutrix

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HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SANJEEV NARULA

ORDER

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19.05.2025

CRL.M.A. 15392/2025 (seeking extension of interim suspension of sentence)

1. Through the instant application filed under Section 528 of the Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023 (formerly Section 482 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973), the Applicant seeks extension of the interim suspension of sentence, granted *vide* order dated 7th April, 2025, for a further period of four weeks. The Applicant has been convicted in connection with FIR No. 422/2017 registered under Sections 376, 354 and 506 of Indian Penal Code, 1860 and Section 4 and 8 of the Protection of Children from Sexual Offences Act, 2012, at P.S. Mehrauli.

2. On 07th April, 2025, the Court had granted interim bail to the present

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Applicant, for a period of four weeks, on account of medical grounds relating to the Applicant's wife.

3. Subsequently on an application, the interim suspension was extended on humanitarian grounds for a period of one week *vide* order dated 01st May, 2025. Thereafter, on 08th May, 2025, another application for extension was made, upon which the interim suspension was further extended for a period of ten days from the date of order.

4. In the above background, the Applicant has now once again applied for an extension of interim suspension for a period of four weeks. It is argued that the Applicant's wife has an appointment scheduled for 27th May, 2022, post which she would require post operative care and therefore, the Applicant's presence is necessary throughout this process.

5. The Court has considered the aforementioned contentions. Indeed, on humanitarian grounds, the Applicant's request for extension was granted by this Court on multiple occasions. The Applicant is now misusing this liberty by repeatedly filing applications on the same ground. The Court is not inclined to entertain the Applicant's request.

6. It is further brought to the notice of this Court that the Applicant's interim suspension period expired on 17th May, 2025, however the Applicant has not surrendered yet. Accordingly, the Applicant is directed to surrender immediately.

7. In view of the above, the application is disposed of.

SANJEEV NARULA, J

MAY 19, 2025/ab

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