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

+ **TEST.CAS. 38/2014**

**HARKIRAT SINGH SODHI**

.....Petitioner

Through: Mr. Lalit Gupta & Mr. Rajat Asija,  
Advs.

versus

**GOVT OF NCT OF DELHI & ORS**

.....Respondent

Through: None for R-1.

Ms. Amrit Kaur Oberoi with Mr.  
Manish Saryal, Advs. for R-2 to 4.

None for R-5 & 6.

**CORAM:**

**JOINT REGISTRAR (JUDICIAL) SH. DEVENDER  
KUMAR GARG (DHJS)**

**ORDER**

**15.03.2024**

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**Proceedings are being conducted through hybrid mode.**

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| Time of commence of proceedings           | : 02:30 p.m. |
| Time of commence of recording of evidence | : 02:46 p.m. |
| Time of conclusion of evidence            | : 03:47 p.m. |
| Time of conclusion of proceedings         | : 03:50 p.m. |
| No. of pages of evidence recorded         | : 06 pages   |

Today the matter is listed for further cross-examination of  
RW-2 Mr. Ved Prakash Malhotra.

1. As per office noting, nothing fresh has been filed.
2. Mr. Vishal Bhan, Data Entry Operator from office of  
Sub-Registrar III is present alongwith the summoned  
record.
3. RW-2 Mr. Ved Prakash Malhotra is also present.



4. Ld. Counsel for petitioner has sought adjournment stating that one CRL.M.C. No.327/2017 is pending before the Hon'ble High Court of Delhi and petitioner herein and respondent no.2 herein are parties in the said matter and with their consent, the said matter has been referred to Delhi High Court Mediation & Conciliation Centre for 01.03.2024 at 03.00 p.m. and the matter is pending before Delhi High Court Mediation & Conciliation Centre.
5. Adjournment has been opposed by Ld. Counsel for respondents no.2 to 4 stating that the petitioner as well as respondent no.2 were referred to Delhi High Court Mediation & Conciliation Centre for exploring possibility of settlement in CRL.M.C. 327/2017, which pertains to quashing of FIR and he has instructions from his clients to proceed with the present matter.
6. Heard. In view of the above submissions, let RW-2 Mr. Ved Prakash Malhotra be further cross-examined today.
7. RW-2 Mr. Ved Prakash Malhotra has been further partly cross-examined and his further cross-examination is deferred at request of the parties.
8. It is submitted that due to some inadvertent typographical mistake in testimony of RW-2 recorded on 17.11.2023, the date of recording of evidence was mentioned as '03.10.2023' instead of '17.11.2023' on top of first page of the same.
9. Heard. It appears that due to some typographical mistake in testimony of RW-2 recorded on 17.11.2023, the date on the first page was mentioned as '03.10.2023' instead of '17.11.2023'. Accordingly, let date on first page of the testimony of RW-2 Mr. Ved Prakash Malhotra be read as



‘17.11.2023’ in place of ‘03.10.2023’. Let correction be made accordingly on the said page today itself.

10. At request, issue fresh summons to Mr. Vishal Bhan, Data Entry Operator from office of Sub-Registrar III as well as to RW-2 Mr. Ved Prakash Malhotra in terms of the previous order for next date of hearing.

11. Re-notify the matter for further cross-examination of RW-2 Mr. Ved Prakash Malhotra on **02<sup>nd</sup> May, 2024 at 02.30 p.m.**

**DEVENDER KUMAR GARG (DHJS)  
JOINT REGISTRAR (JUDICIAL)**

**MARCH 15, 2024/v**

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