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

+ **CRL.M.C. 8756/2024**

SMT. AARTI SHARMA
& ANR.

.....Petitioners

Through: Mr. M.L. Yadav, Adv.

versus

STATE NCT OF DELHI & ANR.Respondents

Through: Mr. Naresh Kumar Chahar,
APP for the State
SI Archana, PS- Delhi
Cantt

CORAM:

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE AMIT MAHAJAN

ORDER

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08.11.2024

CRL.M.A. 33509/2024 (for exemption)

1. Exemptions allowed, subject to all just exceptions.
2. The application stands disposed of.

CRL.M.C. 8756/2024 & CRL.M.A. 33508/2024

3. The petitioner essentially challenges the proceedings in Complaint Case No. 100/23 titled as *Mukul Bindal v. State & Ors.* under Sections 3(1)(r) and 3(1)(s) of the Scheduled Caste and Scheduled Tribe (Prevention of Atrocities) Act, 1989.
4. The learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the complaint was filed by the Respondent No. 2 as a counter blast to the FIR which was registered against the respondents on a complaint given by the petitioners alleging sexual harassment at workplace.
5. He submits that the FIR was registered on 13.04.2023 and the complaint was immediately, thereafter, filed by the respondent on 14.04.2023. He submits that even though the complaint refers



to incident of 01.04.2023, the complaint was filed only when the FIR was registered which clearly indicates that the complaint was a counter blast to the FIR.

6. Issue notice.
7. Notice be served through all permissible modes.
8. List on 03.03.2025.
9. The petitioners are exempted from personal appearance before the learned Trial Court till the next date of hearing.

AMIT MAHAJAN, J

NOVEMBER 8, 2024

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