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IN THE HIGH COURT OF DELHI AT NEW DELHI
CS(OS) 720/2025

GAGANJEET BHULLAR & ORS.

.....Plaintiff

Through: Mr. Abhishek Singh, Mr. J. Amal
Anand, Mr. Elvin Joshy, Ms.
Shivani Kalra and Mr. K. V. Vibu
Prasad, Advocates.

versus

PROFESSIONAL GOLF TOUR OF INDIA

.....Defendant

Through: Mr. Gaurav M Liberhan, Ms.
Akriti Gupta, Mr. Arun Singh and
Mr. Sumant Vyas, Advs. (Through
VC).

CORAM:

**JOINT REGISTRAR (JUDICIAL) SH. GAGANDEEP
JINDAL (DHJS)**

ORDER

18.02.2026

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Proceedings are being conducted through hybrid mode.

**I.A.No. 4557/2026 (by defendant u/O VIII Rule 1 r/w
Section 151 CPC for condonation of delay of 83 days in
filing written statement)**

1. The matter has been taken up today on filing of the captioned IA.
2. It is submitted that the matter is coming up for hearing before the Hon'ble Court 27.02.2026.
3. Issue notice.
4. Ld. Counsel for plaintiff accepts notice of the captioned IA and submits that she will argue straight away without filing the formal reply.
5. Arguments heard.
6. Ld. Counsel for plaintiff submits that no sufficient reason has been explained for condonation of delay in filing the



written statement.

7. Ld. Counsel for defendant submits that delay occurs in filing the written statement because other persons have filed three different suits with same cause of action and the plaintiff has filed various IAs in the preset suit. It took time to examine all the documents.
8. In this case, the plaintiff has filed various applications u/O XXXIX Rule 1 & 2 CPC and u/O VII Rule 14 CPC. The written statement has been filed within time limit of 120 days as per Delhi High Court (OS) Rules, 2018.
9. Considering the submissions, the delay in filing the written statement is condoned subject to cost of Rs.5000/- to be paid in Delhi High Court Advocate Welfare Fund. Replication with affidavit for admission/denial of documents be filed within 30 days as per law.
10. The captioned IA is disposed off accordingly.

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11. Re-notify the matter before the Hon'ble Court on the date already fixed i.e. **27th February, 2026.**

GAGANDEEP JINDAL (DHJS)
JOINT REGISTRAR (JUDICIAL)
FEBRUARY 18, 2026/PU
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