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IN THE HIGH COURT OF DELHI AT NEW DELHI
CS(OS) 952/2024

METHODIST MISSIONARY TRUST ASSOCIATION
AND ORS

.....Plaintiff

Through: Mr. Arun Francis, Adv.
(through VC)

versus

MR. DEEPAK MARTIN CALEB AND ORS

.....Defendants

Through: Mr. Luv Virmani, Adv. for D-1 & 2
(through VC).

None for D-3 despite service.

CORAM:

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

ORDER

03.11.2025

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Proceedings are being conducted through hybrid mode.

I.A.No.18872/2025 (by defendant no.3 u/O VIII Rule 1
r/w Section 151 CPC for condonation of delay of 80 days
in filing written statement)

1. Ld. Counsel for plaintiff submits that he has no objection to the captioned IA.
2. Ld. Counsel of defendant nos. 1 & 2 submits that the written statement filed on behalf of defendant no.3 cannot be taken on record as it has been filed beyond 120 days.
3. None has appeared on behalf of defendant no. 3. Last opportunity is granted to pursue the application.

I.A. No. 46728/2024 (by plaintiff for stay)

4. Pleading qua defendant nos. 1 & 2 are already complete.
5. Defendant no.3 has not filed any reply despite



opportunity. Right to file reply on behalf of defendant no. 3 stands closed.

6. Pleadings are complete.

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7. Documents filed on behalf of the plaintiff vide diary no.5696759/2024 have not come on record till date. Let appropriate steps be taken as per law.

8. Pleadings qua defendant nos. 1 & 2 are complete.

9. The application for condonation of delay in filing the written statement on behalf of defendant nos.3 is pending for consideration.

10. Let the pleadings be completed as per law.

11. Re-notify the matter for completion of pleadings and further proceedings on **28th January, 2026**.

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

NOVEMBER 3, 2025/PU

Click here to check corrigendum, if any