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

+ **CRL.M.C. 9338/2025**

DEEPAK RANA

.....Petitioner

Through: **Mr. Nitesh Khatri, Advocate**

versus

**STATE OF NCT DELHI THR. SHO PS
ALIPUR & ANR.**

.....Respondents

Through: **Mr. Nawal Kishore Jha, APP for the
State with Ms. Kalpana Jha, Advocate
and SI Priyanka, P.S. Alipur
Ms. Rachna Jasaiwal, Advocate for
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CORAM:

HON'BLE DR. JUSTICE SWARANA KANTA SHARMA

ORDER

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24.12.2025

CRL.M.A. 38802/2025 (exemption)

1. Allowed, subject to all just exceptions.
2. Application stands disposed of.

CRL.M.C. 9338/2025 & CRL.M.A. 38801/2025

3. By way of the present petition, the petitioner seeks quashing of FIR bearing No. 793/2022, registered at Police Station Alipur, Delhi for the commission of offence punishable under Sections 354/354A of the Indian Penal Code, 1860 (hereafter 'IPC') and Section 8 of the Protection of Children from Sexual Offences Act, 2012 (hereafter 'POCSO Act') and all consequential proceedings emanating therefrom.



4. Issue notice. The learned APP accepts notice on behalf of the State and seeks time to file reply. Let the same be filed, at least two days prior to the next date of hearing, with advance copy to the other side.
5. List on 23.04.2026.
6. The order be uploaded on the website forthwith.

DR. SWARANA KANTA SHARMA, J

DECEMBER 24, 2025/ns
A.P.