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

+ CRL.REV.P. 551/2025

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.....Petitioner

Through: Mr. Yashpreet Singh, Adv.

versus

THE STATE & ANR.

.....Respondents

Through: Ms. Manjeet Arya, APP for State.

CORAM:

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE VIKAS MAHAJAN

ORDER

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24.12.2025

CRL.M.A. 38675/2025 (exemption)

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

CRL.M.A. 38676/2025 (by the petitioner under Section 528 BNSS, 2023 seeking condonation of delay of 120 days in re-filing the petition)

3. The present application has been filed seeking condonation of delay of 120 days in re-filing the petition.
4. For the reasons mentioned in the application, the same is allowed.
5. The application is disposed of.

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6. The present petition has been filed assailing the impugned order dated 28.04.2025 whereby the criminal revision preferred by the present petitioner/victim was dismissed holding that the Juvenile Justice Board does not have the power to condone the delay in filing of Police Investigation Report (PIR).



7. Mr. Yashpreet Singh, learned counsel appearing on behalf of the petitioner submits that the IO concerned failed to file PIR within the stipulated period of two months.
8. He contends that *vide* order dated 19.02.2024, one extension of time was granted by the Juvenile Justice Board for filing the final report. However, the IO failed to file the PIR within the extended time as well. Thereafter, the second application moved by the IO for extension of time was dismissed by the Juvenile Justice Board.
9. He submits that the decision of Juvenile Justice Board was also affirmed by the learned revisional court.
10. He submits that in view of the orders of the Juvenile Justice Board, as well as, the learned revisional court, the present petitioner/victim has been rendered remediless.
11. In view of the above, issue notice.
12. Ms. Manjeet Arya, learned APP appearing on behalf of respondent no.1/State accepts notice.
13. On petitioner taking steps, issue notice to respondent no.2 by all permissible modes, returnable on 24.04.2026. Additionally, respondent no.2 be served through the IO concerned.

VIKAS MAHAJAN, J

DECEMBER 24, 2025

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