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* **IN THE HIGH COURT OF DELHI AT NEW DELHI**
+ **CRL.A. 899/2017**
PRAMOD KUMAR GUPTAAppellant

Through: Mr. Shivam Goel, Advocate.

versus

TARA CHAND GUPTARespondent
Through: Mr. Pritish Sabharwal, Mr. Sandeep Mishra and Mr. Surbhit Nandan, Advocates.

CORAM:
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SANJEEV NARULA

ORDER

% **24.04.2025**

1. On 11th March, 2025, the Court had set aside the impugned judgment and convicted the Respondent for the offence under Section 138 of the Negotiable Instruments Act, 1881. The matter was directed to be listed for hearing arguments on the point of sentence on 26th March, 2025. On the said date, the hearing could not take place and the matter was adjourned due to paucity of time on 21st August, 2025.
2. In the meantime, the Respondent has preferred a Special Leave to Appeal (Crl.) No. 5022/2025, wherein the Supreme Court *vide* order dated 9th April, 2025, has issued notice, and directed the matter to be listed in the month of July, 2025.
3. Counsel for the Appellant points out that although the Respondent had pressed for stay when the matter was being heard before the Supreme Court,



however since this Court had fixed the matter for hearing arguments on sentence on 21st August, 2025, the Supreme Court fixed the matter in July, 2025.

4. In light of the above development, let the matter be called out on the date already fixed, *i.e.*, on 21st August, 2025.

SANJEEV NARULA, J

APRIL 24, 2025

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