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

+ CRL.A. 1128/2017

RAJESH

.....Appellant

Through: None.

versus

STATE

.....Respondent

Through: Mr Pradeep Gahalot, APP for State

**CORAM:**

**HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE MANOJ KUMAR OHRI**

**ORDER**

% **03.11.2025**

1. None appears for the appellant.
2. Issue Court Notice (without process fees) to the appellant as well as to his counsel, returnable on 08.12.2025. Additionally, the IO is also directed to inform the appellant as well as to his counsel of the order passed today and the next date of hearing.
3. Learned APP for the state, on instructions from the IO, submits that the victim has requested that a counsel be appointed to represent her in the present appeal.
4. In view of the aforesaid, Mr. Vaibhav Tomar, Advocate, (Mobile No. 9971446628), is appointed as *Amicus Curiae* (pro bono) to represent the appellant in the present appeal. The I.O. shall provide a copy of the complete appeal paper-book to the learned *Amicus Curiae* and facilitate him in obtaining instructions from the appellant.
5. In the meantime, latest nominal roll of the appellant be requisitioned by the Registry from the concerned Jail Superintendent.



6. A status report indicating other involvements of the appellant be also filed by the State before the next date.

7. In the meantime, a report be also requisitioned from the Member Secretary, Delhi State Legal Services Authority, Rouse Avenue Courts Complex, New Delhi on the aspect of disbursal of compensation and receipt thereof by the victim. The IO is directed to facilitate the victim in approaching the Member Secretary, DSLSA and ensure that subject to completion of formalities, the awarded amount be released to the victim at the earliest, if not already done.

**MANOJ KUMAR OHRI, J**

**NOVEMBER 3, 2025/rd**