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

+ **W.P.(C) 5289/2024**

BIHARI LAL CHAKRAVARTI ALIAS B L CHAKRAVARTI

..... Petitioner

Through: Mr Surinder Singh, Mr Chander
Shekhar and Mr Deepankar Chugh,
Adv.

versus

UNION OF INDIA & ORS.

..... Respondents

Through: Mr Vikrant N. Goyal, Mr Archana
and Mr Atul Goyal, Adv. for R1
Mr Abhinav Tyagi, Adv for R3

CORAM:

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE GIRISH KATHPALIA

ORDER

15.04.2024

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[Physical Hearing/Hybrid Hearing (as per request)]

CM APPL. 21602/2024 (seeking interim direction)

1. The petitioner has challenged order dated 17.12.2023 passed by the Disciplinary Committee of the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India. Learned counsel for respondent no. 3 who has appeared on advance notice does not deny that currently, office of the Chairperson of the appellate authority is lying vacant, due to which jurisdiction of this court has been invoked. The order impugned in this writ petition is amenable to appellate scrutiny. Learned counsel for respondent no. 3 further explains that effect to the impugned punishment order can be given only by respondent no. 3 and he has instructions to assure that till the stay application in appeal filed by



the petitioner is heard, the impugned punishment order shall not be implemented.

2. Accordingly, as requested by both sides, the present petition is disposed of with the directions that till the preliminary hearing of appeal filed by the petitioner, the impugned punishment order dated 17.12.2023 shall not be implemented. Pending application accordingly stands disposed of.

GIRISH KATHPALIA, J

APRIL 15, 2024/as