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

+ **W.P.(C) 7156/2024, CM APPLs. 29821-22/2024**

ANKUSH MARWAH

..... Petitioner

Through: Mr. Vasanthi Hariharan, Mr. Kartik
Gupta and Mr. Aditya Mittal,
Advocates.

versus

**STAR HEALTH AND ALLIED INSURANCE COMPANY
LIMITED & ORS.**

..... Respondents

Through: Mr. Sanjeev Puri, Sr. Advocate with
Mr. Rohit Puri, Mr. Abhinav Tyagi
and Ms. Pragya Puri, Advocates for
R-2.

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HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SUBRAMONIUM PRASAD

ORDER

24.05.2024

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1. The Petitioner has approached this Court challenging the Letter dated 19.04.2024 issued by Respondent No.1/Star Health and Allied Insurance Co. Ltd. denying the insurance claim of the Petitioner on the ground that the Petitioner had been suffering from CLD (Hepatitis B) and AKI (Pyelonephritis) since 2017 and the same was not disclosed by the insured which amounts to concealment of material fact.
2. When this Court suggested to the learned Counsel for the Petitioner that under Rule 14 of the Insurance Ombudsman Rules, 2017, the Petitioner can approach the Insurance Ombudsman, the learned Counsel for the Petitioner seeks permission to withdraw the instant writ petition with liberty



to approach the Insurance Ombudsman.

3. Permission and liberty, as sought for, are granted.

4. The Petitioner is directed to file an application in the prescribed format under Rule 14 of the Insurance Ombudsman Rules, 2017. On the application being filed, the Insurance Ombudsman is directed to consider the case of the Petitioner in accordance with law as expeditiously as possible, preferably within a period of six weeks from the date of the application filed by the Petitioner.

5. With these observations, the writ petition is disposed of as withdrawn, along with pending application(s), if any. It is made clear that this Court has not made any observations on the merits of the case.

SUBRAMONIUM PRASAD, J

MAY 24, 2024

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