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

+ **W.P.(C) 13196/2024 & CM APPLs. 55103-55104/2024**

T D GAUTAM

.....Petitioner

Through: Mr. Ajit Kumar and Mr. Nutan
Kumar, Advocates.

versus

GOVT OF NCT OF DELHI & ORS.

.....Respondents

Through: Ms. Akriti Singh, Advocate for MCD.

CORAM:

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SANJEEV NARULA

ORDER

19.09.2024

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1. Mr. T.D. Gautam, the Petitioner, states that he is a whistle-blower at whose instance, the FIR bearing no. 164/2023 was registered in which Respondent No. 4 was arrayed as an accused. He submits that the said FIR has now culminated into a chargesheet where Respondent No. 4 and her brother have been arrayed as accused.

2. Be that as it may, in order to ascertain the maintainability of the present petition, the Court has queried regarding the *locus standi* of the Petitioner and the fundamental or legal right that is alleged to be infringed. In response, counsel for Petitioner states that he is asserting the cause of the general public. However, after making some submissions, counsel for Petitioner states that he would like to withdraw the present petition and seeks liberty to press the cause of action through a Public Interest



Litigation.¹

3. Dismissed as withdrawn with the liberty as aforesaid. In case such a PIL is filed, the same shall be examined on its own merits in accordance with law.

SANJEEV NARULA, J

SEPTEMBER 19, 2024

as

¹ “PIL”