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

+ W.P.(C) 14384/2024

SHAMEEM AHMED

.....Petitioner

Through: Mr. Vikas Aggarwal & Mr. Anshu Mahajan, Advocates.

versus

MUNICIPAL CORPORATION DELHI & ORS .....Respondents

Through: Mr. Umang Tyagi, ASC for MCD with Ms. Aditi Kapoor, Advocate for R-1.  
Mr. Kshitij Chhabra, Senior Panel Counsel for UOI.

**CORAM:**

**HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE PRATEEK JALAN**

**ORDER**

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**14.10.2024**

**CM APPL. 60178/2024**(Exemption)

Exemption allowed, subject to all just exceptions.

The application stands disposed of.

**W.P.(C) 14384/2024 & CM APPL. 60177/2024**(Direction)

1. After some hearing learned counsel for the petitioner, seeks permission to withdraw this writ petition, with liberty to approach the Special Task Force [“STF”], constituted by the Supreme Court *vide* orders dated 24.04.2018 and 18.07.2018 in W.P.(C) 4677/1985 [M.C. Mehta vs Union of India & Ors.]. This direction is made with reference to



the decisions of the Division Bench in *Devender vs. Govt. of NCT of Delhi and Ors* [order dated 20.09.2018 in W.P.(C) 1807/2018], *Sneh Lata & Anr. vs. North Delhi Municipal Corporation & Anr.* [order dated 08.04.2019 in LPA 245/2019], *Fazruddin vs. DDA & Ors.* [order dated 23.04.2019 in WP (C) 4649/2017], and in *Himanshu vs. East Delhi Municipal Corporation & Anr.* [order dated 31.07.2023 in W.P.(C) 8104/2022], and decisions of Coordinate Benches in *Abdul Gaffar vs South Delhi Municipal Corporation & Ors.* [order dated 28.02.2019 in W.P.(C) 1773/2019] and *Rashiduddin Malik vs. MCD & Ors.* [order dated 02.09.2024 in WP (C) 12102/2024].

2. In the event, the STF does not take action on the petitioner's complaint within the period of four weeks from the date of complaint, the petitioner will be at liberty to apply for restoration of W.P.(C) 8460/2024, which he had earlier filed for the same relief, and which was dismissed for non-prosecution on 10.07.2024.

3. The petition, alongwith pending application, is disposed of in terms of the above.

**PRATEEK JALAN, J**

**OCTOBER 14, 2024**

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