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

+ **W.P.(C) 14849/2024**

AJAY GARG

.....Petitioner

Through: Mr. Ayush Jindal, Mr. Rhythm Aggarwal, Mr. Siddharth Bhardwaj, Mr. Pankush Goyal, Mr. Ketan Kumar Roy, Mr. Prince and Mr. Shikhar Pathak, Advocates.

versus

CENTRAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

.....Respondent

Through: Mr. Ravi Sharma, SPP with Mr. Swapnil Choudhary, Mr. Praphull Kumar, Mr. Ishann Bhardwaj and Ms. Madhulika Rai Sharma, Advocates.

CORAM:

HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE JYOTI SINGH

ORDER

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23.10.2024

C.M. APPL. 62383/2024

1. Allowed, subject to all just exceptions.
2. Application stands disposed of.

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3. This writ petition has been preferred on behalf of the Petitioner under Article 226 of the Constitution of India against Central Bureau of Investigation which is notified under Section 14 of the Administrative Tribunals Act, 1985 and therefore in view of the judgment of the Constitution Bench of the Supreme Court in *L. Chandra Kumar v. Union of India and Others*, (1997) 3 SCC 261 as well as judgment of the Division Bench of this Court in '*Parikshit Grewal & Ors. v. Union of India & Anr.*',

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LPA No. 971/2024, decided on 27.09.2024, Central Administrative Tribunal is the only Court of first instance and this writ petition cannot be entertained.

4. Accordingly, this writ petition is dismissed along with pending application with liberty to the Petitioner to approach the Central Administrative Tribunal, in accordance with law.

JYOTI SINGH, J

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