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* **IN THE HIGH COURT OF DELHI AT NEW DELHI**
+ **BAIL APPLN. 2784/2025**

ARUN

.....Petitioner

Through: Appearance not given.

versus

STATE NCT OF DELHI

.....Respondent

Through: Mr. Utkarsh, APP for the State.

CORAM:

HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE NEENA BANSAL KRISHNA

ORDER

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27.08.2025

1. First Bail Application under Section 482 of the Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023 has been filed on behalf of the Petitioner Arun for grant of Bail in FIR No. 232/2025 under Section 33/38/58 of Delhi Excise Act, registered at Police Station Swaroop Nagar, Delhi.
2. Essentially, the allegations are that two accused were apprehended in a car, from which the illicit liquor was recovered. It is submitted that the Petitioner was one of the supplier of the illicit liquor.
3. Bail is thus sought, which is opposed by learned APP for the State on the ground that the Petitioner has failed to join the investigations and proceedings under Section 84 BNSS have already been initiated.
4. On specific query, it has been pointed out that the offence is punishable with imprisonment of three years.
5. In the light of the directions given in Arnesh Kumar, Investigating Officer (IO) is bound to first issue the notices under Section 35(3) of BNSS to the Petitioner to join the investigations.
6. Considering the conduct and that proceedings under Section 84 BNSS



have been initiated, no case is made out for grant of Anticipatory Bail.

7. The Bail Application along with pending Applications is dismissed.

NEENA BANSAL KRISHNA, J.

AUGUST 27, 2025/R