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

+ **W.P.(C) 5514/2026**

RAJU GUPTA

.....Petitioner

Through: Mr. Aditya, Mr. Vipin Kumar, Mr. Anjani Kr Mishra, Mr. Kailash Kr Jha, Ms. Pralika Chakraborty, Mr. Fareeduddin and Ms. Srejal Mishra, Advocates (M: 8699723746).

versus

TOWN VENDING COMMITTEE AND ORS.Respondents

Through: Ms. Puja s Kalra, Standing Counsel with Mr. Virendra Singh, Advocates. Ms. Vaishali Gupta (Panel Counsel GNCTD), Mr. Kartik Sharma Advocates (M: 8383031929). Mr. Brijesh Yadav, SPC along with Ms. Nikita, Mr. Sandeep Yadav, Mr. Anirudh Nagar, Mr. Hari Mohan & Mr. Kunal Chaudhary, Advocates for Respondent 4 & 5.

CORAM:

JUSTICE PRATHIBA M. SINGH

JUSTICE MADHU JAIN

ORDER

% **23.04.2026**

1. This hearing has been done through hybrid mode.
2. The present petition has been filed by the Petitioner who claims to be vending food items near the DAV School, DDA Market, Yusuf Sarai, South Zone, Delhi.
3. The prayer in this petition, *inter alia*, is for issuance of the Certificate of Vending. The case of the Petitioner is that the survey was conducted on 10th February, 2021, in which the Petitioner had participated and for which a



receipt was also issued. However, despite this, the Petitioner was not issued the Certificate of Vending. Images of the Petitioner's vend are set out below:





4. Thereafter, representation dated 20th April, 2026 was also made by the



Petitioner to the MCD. However, there is no response. Hence, the present petition.

5. Ms. Kalra, Id. Counsel for the MCD submits that the Petitioner has concealed the fact that the CoV has already been issued to the Petitioner under the category of 'Others'. The copy of the CoV has been shown to the Court.

6. Mr. Aditya, Id. Counsel for the Petitioner submits that the CoV was never received by the Petitioner.

7. Be that as it may since the CoV bearing URI No. 4919919 is already stated to be issued, the prayers in the present petition stand satisfied.

8. However, as per the CoV shown to the Court the Petitioner is obviously not a person, who is permitted to use the gas cylinder.

9. Accordingly, the petition is disposed of with the following directions:

- i) a copy of the CoV along with the terms and conditions be given to the Petitioner today itself.
- ii) The Petitioner shall abide by the terms and conditions of the CoV and shall not use a gas cylinder.
- iii) The Petitioner shall operate as a mobile vendor.
- iv) Subject to the Petitioner abiding by the terms and conditions of the CoV, the Petitioner's vending activities shall not be disturbed.

10. All pending applications, if any, are also disposed of.

PRATHIBA M. SINGH, J.

MADHU JAIN, J.

APRIL 23, 2026/MR/msh