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

+ W.P.(C) 10667/2023

SHIVANSH

.....Petitioner

Through: None.

versus

UOI & ORS.

.....Respondents

Through: Ms. Manisha Singh, Advocate for
CBSE.

CORAM:

HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE SWARANA KANTA SHARMA

ORDER

02.09.2024

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1. There is no appearance on behalf of petitioner today.
2. This Court has gone through the judgment passed by coordinate bench of this Court in W.P.(C) 10640/2023 titled as *Ishaan Gera v. UOI & Ors.*
3. On the last date of hearing, learned counsel for the petitioner was unable to connect to the proceedings. No submission was therefore, made on behalf of the petitioner.
4. This Court's attention was also drawn to para nos. 7 and 8 of order dated 11.08.2023 wherein it was mentioned that learned counsel appearing on behalf of respondent no. 2 submitted that the petitioner has not applied for change of name in accordance with the procedure laid down under the provisions of the Transgender Persons (Protection of Rights) Act, 2019, the petitioner was specifically directed by this Court to examine this position and if this steps are not taken, the same be taken as stated by learned counsel



appearing on behalf of respondent no. 2.

5. This Court is deferring passing any adverse orders though it is clear that in case the petitioner has not taken steps in this regard, she was to take such steps *vide* order dated 11.08.2023 and in case she has taken such steps, the respondent would have passed any order on this so, therefore, once again, one last opportunity is granted to the petitioner to clarify the position as she was directed to do *vide* order dated 11.08.2023.

6. In case there is no appearance on behalf of petitioner on the next date of hearing, the matter will be decided as per law in her absence.

7. List on 06.11.2024.

8. The order be uploaded on the website forthwith.

SWARANA KANTA SHARMA, J

SEPTEMBER 2, 2024/zp

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