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* IN THE HIGH COURT OF DELHI AT NEW DELHI

W.P.(C) 9434/2025 & CM APPL.39854/2025, CM APPL.39855/2025
MANPREET SINGH LAMBAPetitioner
Through: Mr. Ashish Mohan, Senior Advocate with Mr. Kushal Kumar, Mr. Akash

versus

INSURANCE REGULATORY AND DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY OF INDIA & ORS......Respondents Through: Mr. S.K. Tyagi, SPC with Mr.Tarveen Singh Nanda, G.P. for respondent no. 4/ UOI. Mr. Shivam Singh, Advocate for respondents no. 5 to 16.

Advocates.

Deep Gupta and Ms. Sagrika T.,

CORAM: HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE MINI PUSHKARNA <u>O R D E R</u> 09.07.2025

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CM APPL. 39855/2025 (For Exemption)

- 1. Exemption allowed, subject to all just exceptions.
- 2. Application is disposed of.

W.P.(C) 9434/2025 and CM APPL. 39854/2025 (For Stay)

3. The present petition has been filed seeking quashing of the order dated 30th June, 2025, passed by respondent no. 1 and the results of the election to the 14th Council of respondent no. 2/ Indian Institute of Insurance Surveyors and Loss Assessors ("IIISLA"), announced *vide* notice dated 05th April, 2025. There is a further prayer seeking directions to respondent nos.1 and 2, to conduct the re-elections to the said 14th Council of IIISLA.

4. Learned Senior Counsel appearing for the petitioner submits that the

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petitioner is a fellow member of respondent no. 2, and had contested the 14^{th} Council Elections, (North Zone) held from 04^{th} to 05^{th} , April, 2025. The petitioner, being aggrieved by the improper and unlawful conduct of the said elections, filed a writ petition being *W.P.(C)* 5191/2025. The said petition was disposed of *vide* order dated 23^{rd} April, 2025, granting liberty to the petitioner to avail the alternate remedy of challenging the elections before respondent no. 1.

5. Learned Senior Counsel for the petitioner further, submits that the respondent no. 1 has now passed the impugned order dated 30th June, 2025, which is final in nature and the petitioner is left with no other efficacious remedy except to assail the same before this Court. Thus, the present writ petition has been filed.

6. Issue notice.

7. Notice is accepted by learned counsels appearing for respondent nos.4 and 5 to 16.

8. Accordingly, issue notice to respondents nos. 1 to 3 by all modes, upon filing of Process Fees.

9. Let reply be filed within a period of four weeks, from today.

10. Rejoinder, if any, within a period of two weeks, thereafter.

11. Considering the submissions made before this Court, it is directed that the election results of the 14th Council of IIISLA, shall be subject to the outcome of the present writ petition

12. Re-notify on 11th September, 2025.

MINI PUSHKARNA, J

JULY 9, 2025/kd

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