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SHREE KRISHNA PAPER MILLS AND INDUSTRIES
LTD. Vs.
M/S. UNITED INDIA INSURANCE COMPANY LTD.

07.01.2026

Present: Ms. Ishika Nagpaul, Ld. Counsel for plaintiff
(through VC).
Sh. S. Gosh, Ld. Counsel for defendant.

An application under Order VII Rule 14 CPC seeking to place on record documents such as copy of Board Resolution, Copy of Wages Register, Copy of Letter dt. 19.03.2016, Copy of page of Attendance Register, Copy of Intimation Letter dt. 13.07.2016, Copy of Letter dt. 12.09.2017, Copy of Show Cause Notice dt. 24.11.2016, Copy of Court Proceedings before Ld. Commissioner and Copy of List of 111 workmen is pending adjudication.

Ld. Counsel for defendant submits that he does not wish to file reply to the aforesaid application and has addressed arguments straight away.

Arguments heard. Record Perused.

Inadvertently, the aforesaid documents were exhibited at the time of recording of examination in chief of PW-1 on 30.03.2019 and 09.08.2023, though, these documents were not taken on record. Ld. Counsel for plaintiff submits that her application

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under Order VII Rule 14 CPC for taking these documents on record was filed way back on 23.02.2019, however, the same was not disposed off.

Ld. Counsel for defendant submits that it was the duty of the plaintiff to press for disposal of the application under Order VII Rule 14 CPC, which was filed on 23.02.2019 prior to commencement of examination in chief of PW-1.

Perusal of record reveals that in the order sheets, there is no mention of an application under Order VII Rule 14 CPC being filed by the plaintiff, however, the said application is on record which has the filing stamp of 23.02.2019. Undoubtedly the plaintiff should have pressed for disposal of the aforesaid application prior to recording of examination in chief of PW-1. Same was not done. Be that as it may, the aforesaid documents are essential for just and effective adjudication of the matter in controversy. Cross examination of PW-1 has not commenced yet. **Hence, in the interest of justice, the application in hand is allowed.** However, examination in chief of PW-1 would be recorded again as the documents have been taken on record today and no prejudice should be caused to the defendant.

The entire examination in chief of PW-1 shall be concluded on the next date.

Renotify for PE/Cross on **27.01.2026.**

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District Judge-02 (East),
Karkardooma Courts/07.01.2026