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

+ **W.P.(C) 2442/2021 & CM APPL.7098/2021**

SURENDRA KUMAR & ANR.

..... Petitioners

Through: Mr. Ashok Agarwal and Mr. Kumar
Utkarsh, Advocates.

versus

UNION OF INDIA & ANR.

..... Respondents

Through: Mr. Sankar Kr. Jha, Advocate for R-
1.
Mr. Tanveer Oberoi and Mr. Satvik
Verma, Advocate for R-2.

CORAM:

JUSTICE PRATHIBA M. SINGH

ORDER

% **23.02.2021**

1. This hearing has been done through video conferencing.
2. The Petitioners in the present case have both undergone renal transplants and received funding for the same from the Central Government. Till now, AIIMS has been providing all medicines free of cost to them. The grievance of the Petitioners is that two medicines which are expensive i.e., costing approximately Rs.10,000/- per month, are not being provided to them by AIIMS. Accordingly, the prayer is for providing the said medicines free of cost.
3. In respect of Petitioner No.1, the essential medicines are Cap. Tacrograf and Tab. Cellcept and for Petitioner No.2, the essential medicines are Cap. Pangraf and Tab. Cellcept.
4. Mr. Ashok Agarwal, Id. Counsel for the Petitioners, submits that either AIIMS or the Government of India through AIIMS, may provide the



said medicines.

5. Let a short affidavit be filed by the Union of India and AIIMS as to whether it is possible for them to supply these medicines free of cost to the Petitioners. Affidavit be filed within 10 days. Rejoinder, thereto, be filed within a week thereafter.

6. List on 25th March, 2021.

FEBRUARY 23, 2021
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PRATHIBA M. SINGH, J.