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

+ **CS(COMM) 259/2025**

HERO INVESTCORP PVT. LTD. AND ANR.

.....Plaintiff

Through: Mr. Aditya Vats Sharma and
Mr. Kunal Khanna, Advs
(VC).

versus

SANTOSH KUMAR JHA

.....Defendant

Through: None.

CORAM:

JOINT REGISTRAR (JUDICIAL) MS. SWATI KATIYAR

ORDER

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05.05.2026

Fresh I.A 12580/2026 Application on behalf of plaintiffs seeking directions for substituted service upon defendant by way of Publication.

1. Ld. Counsel for the plaintiff submits that despite best efforts made, defendant could not be served through ordinary modes and speed post. It is thus prayed that permission may be granted to serve defendant through publication.

2. Considering the submissions made by the plaintiff, the application is allowed. Let defendant be served by way of publication in the "Times of India" and "Dainik Jagran", Delhi Edition since the last known address of defendant is of Delhi. Steps be taken on filing of process fee within two weeks. **IA is disposed off.**

**SWATI KATIYAR,
JOINT REGISTRAR (JUDICIAL)**

MAY 5, 2026/bk