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

+ W.P.(C) 5803/2023

MANOJAN RAJAN AND ORS.

..... Petitioners

Through: Mr. Sravan Kumar, Mr. Akshay Mann &
Mr. P. Santosh Kumar, Advocates

Versus

AMATEUR KABADDI FEDERATION OF INDIA (AKFI) AND
ORS. Respondents

Through: Ms. Nandita Rao, Advocate for
respondent No.1 alongwith Mr. Kunal Prakash,
Advocate

Mr. Aayush Gautam, Advocate for Mr. Karn
Bhardwaj, ASC for GNCTD/respondent No.3

Mr. Anil Soni, CGSC alongwith Mr. Devvrat
Yadav, G.P. for UOI

Mr. Anjuman Tripathi & Mr. Aditya Pratap Swain,
Advocates for proposed respondents.

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HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE PURUSHAINDR KUMAR KAURAV

ORDER

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18.05.2023

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1. The present application has been filed under Order 1 Rule 10 of CPC on behalf of the applicants/proposed respondents seeking impleadment in the array of parties.
2. Heard.
3. Learned counsel appearing on behalf of the applicants/proposed respondents have also filed the affidavit in compliance of the order dated 15.05.2023. The same has also been considered.



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4. Learned counsel appearing on behalf of respondent No.1 submits that the Delhi State Kabaddi Association is not an affiliated unit with respondent No.1. Therefore, the said Association cannot file any application for its impleadment.

5. Learned counsel appearing on behalf of the petitioner, however, disputes the aforesaid position and states that applicant No.1-Delhi State Kabaddi Association is also an affiliated unit and the name of Delhi State Kabaddi Association is also mentioned in the Electoral College declared by respondent No.1.

6. The issue as to whether the applicant No.1-Delhi State Kabaddi Association which has filed this application is an affiliated unit or otherwise is not the subject matter of adjudication at this stage.

7. Reserving the aforesaid submissions to be made by learned counsel for the parties at this stage, this court finds it appropriate to allow the present application for impleadment. Accordingly the same is allowed and the applicant Nos. 1 to 16 are impleaded as respondents in the array of parties.

8. Let the amended memo of parties be filed within two weeks.

9. The Registry is directed to place the amended memo of parties immediately after the memo of parties.

10. The application stands disposed of.

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1. Issue notice.



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2. Learned counsel appearing on behalf of the newly impleaded respondents accepts notice.
3. Let the counter affidavit be filed before the next date of hearing.
4. List for consideration on 25th May, 2023.

PURUSHAINDRA KUMAR KAURAV, J

MAY 18, 2023

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