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IN THE HIGH COURT OF DELHI AT NEW DELHI

CS(OS) 483/2021

DR ALOK ADHOLEYA

..... Plaintiff

Through: Mr.Akhilesh Talluri, Adv.

versus

THE ENERGY AND RESOURCES INSTITUTE & ORS.

..... Defendants

Through: Mr.Debashish Mukherjee,
proxy counsel.

CORAM:

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE NAVIN CHAWLA

ORDER

23.05.2023

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I.A. 6901/2022

1. This application has been filed by the plaintiff under Order VII Rule 14 of the Code of Civil Procedure, 1908 (hereinafter referred to as 'CPC') seeking permission to file additional documents. It is stated that the documents are required for a full and proper adjudication of the suit, and have been necessitated to be brought on record to meet the averments made in the written statement.
2. The learned counsel for the defendants submits that this is the second application filed by the plaintiff under Order VII Rule 14 of the CPC. He submits that the present application, therefore, should not be allowed.
3. While I appreciate the concern of the defendant that filing of repeated applications to place on record additional documents by the plaintiff cannot be allowed, in the interest of justice and keeping in view that the suit is still at an initial stage, the present application is allowed. The documents are taken on record.
4. It is made clear that this Court has not expressed any opinion on the relevance or the effect of these documents.



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5. The defendant is permitted to file further documents, in case they so desire, in answer to the documents that have been taken on record today, within a period of four weeks from today.
6. The defendants shall also file affidavit of admission/denial of documents that have been taken on record today, within the same period.
7. The parties shall file a Joint Schedule of Documents within a period of two weeks thereafter.
8. List before the learned Joint Registrar (Judicial) on 24th August, 2023.

NAVIN CHAWLA, J

MAY 23, 2023/rv

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