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* **IN THE HIGH COURT OF DELHI AT NEW DELHI**
+ **W.P.(C) 12563/2021**

VARDHMAN PROPERTIES LTDPetitioner
Through: Mr.Naveen Dabas, Advocate
versus

COLLECTOR OF STAMPS SUB-DIVISIONAL MAGISTRATE AND ANRRespondents

Through: Mr.Sameer Vashisht, ASC

CORAM: SH. H.K.ARORA, REGISTRAR

ORDER

10.05.2023

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Today's Court proceedings are conducted through physical/hybrid mode.

As per report of the Registry, counter affidavit has not been filed on behalf of the respondents. Counsel for the respondents submits that due to some unforeseen circumstances, counter affidavit could not be filed.

On last date of hearing, the respondent was permitted to file counter affidavit subject to payment of costs of Rs.5000/-. Neither the counter affidavit nor costs has been deposited by the respondent. Counsel for respondents seeks another accommodation to file counter affidavit. Counsel for the petitioner strongly opposes the request of the respondents and submits that further cost may be imposed on respondents in case further time is being granted to the respondent for filing the counter affidavit.

In the interest of justice, another opportunity is granted to the respondents to file the counter affidavit within four weeks subject to payment of cost which was imposed by the Hon'ble Court with advance copy to counsel for the petitioner, who may file rejoinder thereto, if any, within four weeks thereafter.

List on 11.07.2023.

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