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

+ **TEST.CAS. 57/2025**

SH. GURPREET ANAND

.....Petitioner

Through: Mr. Vaibhav Kush, Mr. Lalit Kumar
and Ms. Rudrakshi Gautam,
Advocates

versus

STATE GOVT OF NCT OF DELHI & ORS.

.....Respondents

Through: Mr. Abhinav Garg, Panel Counsel
with Ms. Palak Gupta, Advocate for
R-1/GNCTD (Through VC)
Ms. Esha Goyal, Advocate for R-2

CORAM:

HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE MANMEET PRITAM SINGH ARORA

ORDER

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29.05.2025

1. The present petition has been filed under Section 276 and 278 of the Indian Succession Act seeking probate of the registered Will dated 25.11.2024 executed by the deceased Sh. Jasbir Singh Anand.
2. It is stated that the Petitioner is the widow of the deceased and is the named executor in the said Will.
3. It is further stated that Respondent Nos. 2 and 3 are the children of the deceased. It is stated that Petitioner, along with Respondent No. 2 and Respondent No. 3 are the only Class-I legal heirs of deceased Sh. Jasbir Singh Anand.
4. Learned counsel for the Petitioner states that he will take steps to ascertain the e-mail address of Respondent No. 3 for the purpose of effecting



electronic service. He states that a mobile number has already been provided in the memo of parties.

5. Learned counsel for the Petitioner states that the original of the Will dated 25.11.2024 is in the custody of the Petitioner.

6. He states that the certified copy of the Will obtained from the office of the Sub-Registrar has been placed on record.

7. He states that the original of the Will shall be produced for the inspection of the Respondents as and when directed.

8. Issue notice. Learned counsel for Respondent No. 1/GNCTD accepts notice.

9. Ms. Esha Goyal, Advocate enters appearance on behalf of Respondent No. 2 on advance service. She states that she will file her Vakalatnama within one (1) week.

10. Upon steps being taken by the Petitioner, issue notice to Respondent No. 3 through all modes including electronically.

11. Since Respondent No. 3 is the resident of Australia, notice shall be served on him through the appropriate Ministry in accordance with law. In addition, electronically.

12. Let citations be published in the "Times of India" (English Newspaper) and in "Nav Bharat Times" (Hindi Newspaper), both having circulations in the National Capital Region.

13. Respondent No. 1 is directed to file valuation report and the concerned Sub-Divisional Magistrate (SDM).

14. Let the reply be filed within a period of four (4) weeks.

15. Rejoinder thereto, if any, be filed within a period of four (4) weeks thereafter.



16. List the matter before the Ld. Joint Registrar (J) on **04.08.2025**.
17. List the matter before the Court on **28.10.2025**.

MAY 29, 2025/rhc/akp

MANMEET PRITAM SINGH ARORA, J

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