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* **IN THE HIGH COURT OF DELHI AT NEW DELHI**
+ **CS(COMM) 922/2025**
KEI INDUSTRIES LIMITED

.....Plaintiff

Through: Mr. Arnav Dasgupta, Advocate

versus

MR RAMCHAND AILDAS TEKCHANDANI & ORS.

.....Defendant

Through: Mr. Naresh Kuchha (VC), on
behalf of defendant no. 2.
Mr. Naresh Shah (VC), on behalf
of defendant no. 3.

CORAM:

JOINT REGISTRAR (JUDICIAL) Dr. AJAY GULATI

ORDER

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07.01.2026

CS(COMM) 922/2025 & I.A. No. 21397/2025 (Under Order XXXIX Rules 1 and 2 CPC).

1. Ld. Counsel for the plaintiff informs that defendant no. 1 had already expired even before the execution of the Local Commission.
2. Defendant no. 2 has been served through the ordinary mode on 30.10.2025 and defendant no. 3 has been served, also through the ordinary mode, on 16.10.2025. Defendant no. 2 and 3 have appeared through VC.
3. Defendant no. 2 wishes to go in for mediation. However, defendant no. 3 submits that he is not ready to go in for mediation. Defendant no. 3 further submits that he has been mentally unstable since 2014 although in the opinion of the court he appears to be quite coherent in his submissions.
4. Defendant no. 4 is already before the Mediation Centre



and a settlement has been ~~21/1/26~~ at although it is yet to be formally executed.

5. The matter is referred to the Mediation Centre for a possible settlement between the plaintiff and defendant no. 2, on 12.01.2026 at 2.00 p.m. through the hybrid mode since defendant no. 2 is a resident of Gujarat.

6. It needs a highlight that defendant no. 3 is unwilling either to engage a counsel or to go in for mediation although he has been given the offer of joining the mediation proceedings through VC. He has also been apprised that he can be assigned a counsel through legal aid but he submits that he is unable to travel to Delhi in view of various health issues of his parents and wife.

7. Matter is already listed before the Hon'ble Court for 27.02.2026. Be placed before the Hon'ble Court on the date already fixed i.e. 27.02.2026, for further directions.

Dr. AJAY GULATI
(DHJS),
JOINT REGISTRAR (JUDICIAL)

JANUARY 7, 2026/sk