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

+ **CS(COMM) 18/2026**

ARUN CHAUHAN & ANR.

..... Plaintiff

Through: Mr. Gaurav Jha & Ms. Shalini
Jha, Advs.

versus

HINDUSTAN PETROLEUM CORPORATION LIMITED

& ANR.

..... Defendant

Through: Ms. Saloni Kapoor, Proxy Adv.
for Mr. Avneesh Garg, Adv. for
D-1 (appeared through VC)

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**JOINT REGISTRAR (JUDICIAL) SH. SUMIT
DALAL, (DHJS)**

ORDER

09.03.2026

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1. Vide order dated 13.01.2026 in I.A. No. 702/2026, the Plaintiff was directed to deposit the court fee within a period of eight weeks. Till date, the same has not been filed.
2. Learned counsel for the Plaintiff seeks one further opportunity of four weeks to comply with the said direction.
3. In the interest of justice, the request is allowed. Let the court fee be deposited within four weeks from today. It is made clear that no further opportunity shall be granted.
4. As per the office note, Defendant No. 1 was served on



12.02.2026 through Mr. Manohar Lal, Deputy General Manager, and Defendant No. 2 was also served on 12.02.2026 through Ms. Simi, reported to be an employee of Shri Akhil Chauhan.

5. Let the Written Statements be filed within the stipulated statutory period and replication, if any, within the permissible period thereafter.
6. List for completion of pleadings on **23.04.2026**.

SUMIT DALAL, (DHJS)
JOINT REGISTRAR (JUDICIAL)

MARCH 9, 2026/nk