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* **IN THE HIGH COURT OF DELHI AT NEW DELHI**
+ **W.P.(C) 8648/2016**
ANITA DEVI - I

.....Petitioner
Through: Mr.Deepank Yadav, Advocate

versus

INDIAN OIL CORPORATION LTD & ORS

.....Respondent
Through: Mr.Shashwat Goel, Advocate for R-1
to 4
Mr.Ripu Daman Bhardwaj, CGSC for
R-5

CORAM: SH. SANJAY KUMAR SHARMA, REGISTRAR

ORDER

% **23.07.2024**

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

CM APPL. 41213/2024 (u/O 22 Rule 3 CPC)

This is an application under Order 22 Rule 3 CPC filed by the applicants seeking their substitution as legal heirs of deceased petitioner, who is stated to have died on 16.05.2024. A copy of the death certificate has been annexed with the application. The details of legal heirs of deceased petitioner are mentioned in para 8 of the application which includes husband, one son and one daughter.

Counsel for the applicants states that after demise of petitioner's husband namely Dilip Kumar, petitioner had re-married Mr.Arun Kumar Pandey, one of the applicants.



Notice.

Counsels for respondent nos. 1 to 5 accept notice and seek some time to file reply to the application. Let the same be filed within two weeks with advance copy to counsel for the applicant. Rejoinder thereto be filed within two weeks thereafter as prayed for.

On petitioner/applicant filing process fee within two weeks, let notices of the application be issued to respondent nos.6 to 18 by all permissible modes as also through counsel, returnable on the next date of hearing.

It is already stated by counsel for respondent nos. 1 to 4 that the relief as claimed by the petitioner in the present petition cannot be awarded in favour of any other person except the petitioner, as such, the legal heirs/ representatives cannot be substituted in place of deceased petitioner.

It is submitted by counsels for the parties that since the matter is coming up for consideration before the Hon'ble Court on 21.08.2024, therefore, this application may also be placed before the Hon'ble Court on the said date.

At request, list the application matter before the Hon'ble Court on 21.08.2024 for further directions.

REGISTRAR

JULY 23, 2024/sk