

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
ADMIRALTY AND VICE ADMIRALTY JURISDICTION
IN ITS COMMERCIAL DIVISION**

**INTERIM APPLICATION NO. 7496 OF 2025
IN
COMMERCIAL ADMIRALTY SUIT NO.35 OF 2025**

M V PFS SUPPLIER (IMO 9221176))...APPLICANT

IN THE MATTER BETWEEN

ISLAND OIL LIMITED)...PLAINTIFF

V/s.

M V PFS SUPPLIER (IMO 9221176))...DEFENDANT

And

**WESTFIELD ENERGY INDIA PVT. LTD. AND ANR.)...PROPOSED
DEFENDANTS**

**WITH
COMMERCIAL ADMIRALTY SUIT NO.35 OF 2025
WITH
INTERIM APPLICATION NO. 5568 OF 2025
WITH
INTERIM APPLICATION NO. 7496 OF 2025
WITH
INTERIM APPLICATION NO. 7894 OF 2025
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IN
COMMERCIAL ADMIRALTY SUIT NO. 35 OF 2025**

Mr.Bimal Rajsekhar a/w. Ms.Diksha Brahma i/by Mr.Ashwin Shanker,
Advocate for the Plaintiff in COMAS/35/2025.

Mr.Arnab Ghosh, Advocate for the Defendant in COMAS/35/2025 and
for the Applicant in IA/7496/2025, IA/5568/2025, IA/7891/2025 and
IA/7894/2025.

Mr.Dhruva Gandhi a/w. Mr.Siddharth M., Mr.Heetkumar Vachhani,
Mr.Pratik Mehta i/by Crawford Bayley and Co., Advocate for the
proposed Defendant no.2.

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CORAM : ABHAY AHUJA, J.

DATE : 8th MAY 2026

P.C. :

1. When the matter is called out, Mr.Arnab Ghosh, learned Counsel, appears for the Applicant/Original Defendant and submits that as directed by this Court, the Interim Application has been endeavoured to be served on the proposed Defendants, and that, the service to the proposed Defendant no.3 has been refused and seeks to tender across the bar an Affidavit of service in this regard. Registry to accept the Affidavit of service.

2. Mr.Dhruva Gandhi, learned Counsel, appears for the proposed Defendant no.2 and submits that he needs some time to file a reply.

3. Let the reply be filed within a period of three weeks with a copy to the other side. Rejoinder, in two weeks thereafter, with a copy to the other side.

4. List on **19th June 2026**.

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5. Mr.Bimal Rajsekhar, learned Counsel appearing for the Plaintiff has also raised a grievance that although by order dated 26th September 2025, the arrested Defendant – Vessel M V PFS Suppllier (IMO No.9221176) was permitted to be shifted from Mumbai anchorage to the Floating Dry Dock, Great Offshore, FD1 at Trombay Channel, Thane Creek, the said Vessel continues to remain there and has till date not been brought back despite an elapse of almost eight months.

6. Mr.Ghosh seeks some time to take instructions and to make a statement before this Court on the next date as to when the said Vessel would be brought back to Mumbai anchorage.

7. Let instructions be taken by the next date.

(ABHAY AHUJA, J.)