

**Vinay Modi & Ors. vs. State of HP & Ors.  
a/w connected matter**

**LPA No. 500 of 2024 a/w  
LPA No. 505 of 2024**

[Item D-18]  
08.10.2025

Present: Mr. Gaurav Thakur, Advocate, for the appellants,  
in both the appeals.

Mr. Rakesh Dhaulta, Additional Advocate  
General, for respondent No. 1- State.

Mr. Abhishek Nagta, Advocate, for respondents No.  
10 & 11 in LPA No. 500 of 2024 and for respondents  
No. 14 & 15 in LPA No. 505 of 2024.

Mr. Janak Raj, Advocate, for the respondent No. 20.

As per office report, service on respondents No. 16  
to 22 and 23 is awaited, whereas respondent No. 28 has been  
duly served. Wife of respondent No. 7 refused to take the notice.  
Resultantly, the service upon the said respondent is presumed to  
have been effected. In case none puts in appearance for  
respondent No. 7, ex-parte proceedings will be initiated by the  
next date.

Respondent No. 26 was not found at the given  
address. Necessary steps be taken within 10 days and thereafter,  
fresh notice be issued to respondent No. 26, returnable for  
17.11.2025.

List on 17.11.2025.

**( G.S. Sandhwalia )  
Chief Justice**

**( Jiya Lal Bhardwaj )  
Judge**

08<sup>th</sup> October, 2025  
(Anurag)