

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JHARKHAND AT RANCHI
M. A. No. 535 of 2016

Reliance General Insurance Company Limited..... Appellant

Versus

Mihi Mejhain & Ors. Respondents

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE DR. S.N. PATHAK

For the Appellant : Ms. Swati Shalini, Advocate

For the Resp. Nos. 1 to 4 : Mr. Varun Prabhakar, Advocate

I.A. No. 8352 of 2022

9/ 14.09.2022 This interlocutory application has been filed for substituted service of notice on respondent no.5.

It has been submitted by learned counsel for the appellant that though thrice notices were issued upon respondent no. 5 under ordinary process, but the same were returned unserved. As such, learned counsel submits that the appellant may be permitted to publish the notice upon respondent no.5 through publication in the local daily newspaper having wide circulation in that area where respondent no. 5 is known as permanent resident.

In view of the submissions, as also in view of the statements made in the interlocutory application, the appellant is permitted to serve the notice on respondent no. 5 through publication in the local newspaper. The office is directed to hand over the draft copy of the notice to the appellant for publication in the local newspaper having wide circulation of the area where respondent no. 5 is residing.

This interlocutory application is accordingly allowed.

(Dr. S. N. Pathak, J.)

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