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R E C O R D O F P R O C E E D I N G S

Writ Petition (Civil) No.4677/1985

M.C.MEHTA

Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

UNION OF INDIA & ORS.

Respondent(s)

[TO BE TAKEN UP AT 12.00 noon] 1)
I.A. NOS. 77503 AND 82069/2024 (APPLNS. FOR DIRECTION AND PERMISSION ON BEHALF OF INDIAN OIL CORP. LTD.) 2) I.A. NOS. 181186 AND 181193/2022 (APPLNS. FOR INTERVENTION AND DIRECTIONS ON B/O KAMAL TANWAR) 3) REPORT NO. 13 of 2025 SUBMITTED BY CEC 4) IA NOS. 140093 AND 140094/2019 (APPLNS. FOR IMPLEADMENT AND DIRECTIONS ON B/O MASOODPUR DAIRY RESIDENTS WELFARE ASSOCIATION) 5) REPORT NOS. 194 AND 195 OF THE MONITORING COMMITTEE IN W.P. (C) NO. 4677/1985 "ONLY" ARE LISTED NAMES OF FOLLOWING ADVOCATES MAY BE TREATED TO HAVE BEEN SHOWN IN THE LIST : MR. S GURU KRISHNA KUMAR, SR. ADVOCATE (A.C.) MS. ANITHA SHENOY, SR. ADVOCATE (A.C.) MR. A.D.N. RAO, SR. ADVOCATE (A.C.) MR. SIDDHARTHA CHOWDHURY, ADVOCATE (A.C.) PETITIONER-IN-PERSON MR. MANAN VERMA, MR. G.S. MAKKER, MR. AMRISH KUMAR, MR. M.K. MARORIA, MR. PRAVEEN SWARUP, MR. NISHIT AGRAWAL, MR. CHIRAG M. SHROFF, MS. PRIYA PURI, ADVOCATES MR. CHANCHAL K. GANGULI, MR. AJAY VIKRAM SINGH, ADVOCATES MR. KAUSHAL YADAV, ADVOCATES)

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UPON hearing the counsel the Court made the following
O R D E R

I.A. No.77503 and 82069 of 2024

Heard learned senior counsel appearing for the applicant. Delhi Development Authority (DDA) has offered a site to the applicant and offer of DDA has been reiterated in the affidavit filed on 5th May, 2025. It is for the applicant - Indian Oil Corporation Ltd. either to accept the offer or reject the offer.

To enable the applicant to do so, we grant time of one month. If within one month the offer is accepted, DDA shall immediately take steps to hand over possession of the offer site offered to the applicant. In such case, time of six months will be available to the applicant to handover the possession of the existing site in terms of notice dated 22nd March, 2024 (Annexure A-8). In the event, the applicant does not accept the offer within one month from today, we grant time of three months to the applicant to vacate the existing site in terms of the aforesaid order.

Application is accordingly disposed of.

If, the applicant does not accept the offer of DDA, it will be always open for the applicant to challenge the notices dated 4th March, 2024 and 22nd March, 2024 in accordance with law.

IN RE : Report No.13 of 2025

We have perused our earlier order dated 16th April, 2025. In

terms of the said order, an undertaking has been filed by the applicant - Delhi Jal Board. Only after compliance is made with the conditions incorporated in paragraph 19 of the report, can actual permission be granted for felling of 40 trees and transplanting 20 trees.

We permit the applicant to move an application before Central Empowered Committee (CEC) after making compliance. CEC will submit a report to this Court as to whether compliance has been made by the applicant thereafter permission can be granted.

I.A. No.140093 and 140094/2019

Only by way of indulgence, we grant time of one week to the applicants to place on record copies of the application for regulation and relied upon documents.

List on 20th May, 2025. First on the cause list.

Report No.194 and 195 of the Monitoring Committee

As far as Report No.194 is concerned, Municipal Corporation of Delhi seeks time to file a counter. We, accordingly, grant time of six weeks to file counter affidavit.

In Report No.195, issue notice to Union of India through Ministry of Housing and Urban Affairs, Delhi Development Authority, Ministry of GNCT, Delhi returnable on 25th July, 2025.

I.A. Nos.181186 and 181193 of 2022

We grant time of six weeks to DDA as well as MCD to file counter affidavit.

List on 25th July, 2025.

I.A. No.203615/2024

List on 20th May, 2025.

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