No. 31 /Rules/DHC

Dated: 16/01/2015

## PRACTICE DIRECTIONS

Hon'ble the Chief Justice, on the recommendations of the Hon'ble Judges of the Original Side, has been pleased to issue following practice directions for information and compliance by all concerned :-

- In a Petition filed under Section 9 of the Arbitration & Conciliation Act, 1996, where the arbitration proceedings have commenced, an advance\_copy of petition shall be supplied to private parties and in all the petitions under Section 9 of the Act whether before, during or after passing of the award in cases where the opposite party is Union of India. State Government, Statutory Authority, Public Sector Undertaking or Govt. Department, advance copy shall be served through the respective standing/nominate/empanelled counsel.
- In a petition filed under Section 11 of the Arbitration & Conciliation Act, 1996, for appointment of Arbitrators, an advance copy of petition shall be served upon the opposite party, where opposite party is Union of India, State Government, Statutory Authority, Public Sector Undertaking or Govt. Department through the respective standing/nominated counsel.
- In a petition filed under Sections 14 & 15 of the Arbitration & Conciliation Act, 1996, for termination of mandate and substitution of the arbitrator, an advance copy of petition shall be served upon the opposite party or their counsel appearing in the arbitration proceedings.
- In a petition filed under Section 27 of the Arbitration & Conciliation Act, 1996, for Court's assistance in taking evidence, an advance copy of petition shall be served upon the opposite party or their counsel appearing in the arbitration proceedings.
- In a petition filed under Section 34 of the Arbitration & Conciliation Act, 1996, for setting aside arbitral award, an advance copy of petition shall be served upon the opposite party or their counsel who appeared last in the arbitral proceedings.
- In an appeal filed under Section 37 of the Arbitration & Conciliation Act, 1996. an advance copy of petition shall be served upon the opposite party or their counsel appearing in the arbitral proceedings.

In all such above matters, a letter will also be served on the other side stating that the matter will be listed in Court shortly. The acknowledgment of service will be enclosed with the petition at the time of filing.

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All the Officers and Dealing Assistants at the Filing Counter are requested to ensure that advance copies in the above mentioned petitions filed under Sections 9, 11, 14, 15, 27, 34 and 37 of the Arbitration & Conciliation Act, 1996 are served upon the opposite parties and the acknowledgment of service is enclosed with the petitions at the

These Practice Directions shall come into force immediately.

By Order

VINOD GOEL) REGISTRAR GENERAL

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- Secretary (Law & Justice), Govt. of N.C.T. of Delhi, Delhi Secretariat, I.P.Estate,
- The District & Sessions Judge (HQ), Tis Hazari Courts, Delhi.
- The District & Sessions Judge, East, Karkardooma Courts, Delhi.
- The District & Sessions Judge, New Delhi District, Patiala House Courts. New Delhi.
- The District & Sessions Judge, North-West District, Rohini Courts, Delhi.
- The District & Sessions Judge, South District, Saket Courts, New Delhi. 7.
- The District & Sessions Judge, North-East District, Karkardooma Courts, Delhi.
- The District & Sessions Judge, Shahdara District, Karkardooma Courts, Delhi.
- The District & Sessions Judge, North District, Rohini, Delhi.
- The District & Sessions Judge. West District, Tis Hazari Courts, Delhi.
- 11. The District & Sessions Judge, South-West District, Dwarka Courts, Delhi.
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- The Secretary, Bar Council of India, 21, Rouse Avenue, Institutional Area, New Delhi-110002.
- 14. The Secretary, Bar Council of Delhi, 2/6, Siri Fort Institutional Area, Khel Gaon Marg, New Delhi-110049
- 15. The President/Secretary, Supreme Court Bar Association, Supreme Court, New
- 16. The President/Secretary, Delhi High Court Bar Association, Delhi High Court. New Delhi.
- 17. The President/Secretary, Bar Association, Tis Hazari Courts/Patiala House Courts/ Karkardooma Courts/Rohini Courts/Dwarka Courts/Saket Court Complex.
- 18. The Secretary, Supreme Court Legal Aid & Advice Committee.