

**HIGH COURT OF DELHI: NEW DELHI
NOTIFICATION**

No. 277/Rules/DHC

Dated: 18.08.2009

In exercise of powers conferred by Sections 122 and 129 of the Code of Civil Procedure, 1908 and Section 7 of the Delhi High Court Act, 1966 (Act 26 of 1966) and all other powers enabling it in this behalf, the High Court of Delhi, hereby makes the following amendments in Chapter II of the Delhi High Court (Original Side) Rules, 1967 :-

- 1. The following shall be substituted for the existing clause (29) of rule 3 :-**
“(29) To secure the attendance of witnesses and take proceedings against them for failure to comply with the summons as provided under Order XVI of the Code and to record evidence and decide objections as to questions in examination-in-chief, cross-examination and re-examination.”

- 2. The following shall be substituted for the existing clause (38) of rule 3 :-**
“(38) Applications for enlargement or abridgment of time including applications to foreclose the right to file the written statements and replies or applications seeking extension of time for leading evidence and foreclosing the right to lead evidence.”

- 3. The following shall be inserted as clauses (56) to (65) in rule 3 and the existing clause (56) shall be renumbered as clause (66) :-**
“(56) Deal with and decide applications under Orders I Rule 2 and/or an application under Order I Rule 3A and/or Rule 6 of the Code of Civil Procedure;
(57) Deal with and decide applications under Order I Rule 10 of the Code of Civil Procedure;
(58) Decide applications under Order II Rule 2(3) of the Code of Civil Procedure;
(59) Decide applications seeking discharge by the counsel;
(60) Decide applications seeking exemption from filing original documents along with the pleadings or seeking leave to file documents at a later stage;
(61) Decide applications under Order IX Rule 4 and Rule 7 of the Code of Civil Procedure;
(62) To register and issue notices/summons in suits under Order XXXVII of the Code and to decide applications under Order XXXVII of the Code except applications under Order XXXVII Rule 3(5) and Rule 4 of the Code;
(63) To decide applications seeking extension of time to file the Court fee;
(64) To pass orders pertaining to renewal of Fixed Deposits where money is deposited pursuant to an order passed in any proceeding by a Court on the Original Side;
(65) To issue notice (not decide) applications under Section 14 and Section 17 of the Arbitration Act, 1940 and direct the Arbitrators(s) to file the record of arbitration in Court;”

NOTE: THESE AMENDMENTS SHALL COME INTO FORCE FROM THE DATE OF THEIR PUBLICATION IN THE GAZETTE.

BY ORDER OF THE COURT
Sd/-
(RAKESH KAPOOR)
REGISTRAR GENERAL