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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 23-11-2026

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THE HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE P. DHANABAL

A .No. 3178 of 2026
in
CS.DR.No.18515 of 2025

P.Venkateshan
S/o.Perumal Mudaliyar,
Old No.53, New No.64,
South Sivan Koil Street,
Vadapalani,
Chennai 600 026.

..Applicant(s)

Vs

1. E.Kamala and another
   W/o.Elumalai,
   No.54-B, Kamatchi Thirukural Street,
   Valasaravakkam,
   Chennai 600 087.
2. The Sub-Registrar
   Ashok Nagar Sub Registrar Office, Ashok Nagar,
   Chennai

..Respondent(s)

PRAYER : This Application is filed under Order XIV Rule 8 of the High Court O.S.Rules r/w Section 151 of CPC to modify the order in C.S.D.NIo.18515 of 2025 dated 09/10/2025 and permit the applicant's counsel R.Chandrasekaran to withdraw the above Court Fee amount of Rs.6,60,00,000/- instead of the Applicant.

For Applicant(s): Mr.R.Chandrasekaran

For Respondent(s): Mr.B.Pachaiyappan for R2
Additional Government Pleader
Not Ready – R1 – No appearance

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ORDER

This Application has been filed by the petitioner to modify the order passed by this court in CS.DR.No.18515 of 2025 dated 09.10.2025.

2. According to the applicant, he is the plaintiff in the main suit. He filed a suit in CS.DR.No.18515 of 2025 and the same was posted for hearing. Thereafter, the matter was settled between the parties out of court and thereby this court dismissed the suit and directed the Registry to refund the court fee as per the Rules.

3. Now the applicant has filed this petition to pay the court fee in the name of his counsel as the applicant is out of Country for the purpose of medical treatment.

3. This court heard the applicant's side and perused the records.

4. Already this suit has been disposed of by this court on 09.10.2025.

5. At that time, this court permitted the applicant to receive the court fee paid by him as per the Rules. Now, the applicant filed a petition to modify the order to refund the court fee in the name of his learned counsel. To that effect,

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he has also filed an affidavit.

6. Considering the reasons stated in the petition and that the applicant has no objection to pay the court fee in the name of his learned counsel, viz., Mr.R.Chandrasekaran, it is appropriate to allow this application. Accordingly, this application is allowed.

7. In view of the above, the order passed by this court on 09.10.2025 is modified to the effect that the Registry is directed to refund the court fee to the learned counsel appearing for the plaintiff in CS.DR.No.18515 of 2025 as per the Rules.

7. Registry is directed to make necessary amendments in the order dated 09.10.2025 and issue fresh order copies to the parties forthwith.

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