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* **IN THE HIGH COURT OF DELHI AT NEW DELHI**
+ **W.P.(C) 7228/2026 & CM APPL. 35394/2026 (Interim relief)**

INDIRA JAGDISHBHAI PATEL & ORS.Petitioners

Through: **Ms. Rajshree Singh, adv. through Vc.**
versus

UNION OF INDIA & ORS.Respondents

Through: **Mr. Jagdish Chandra, CGSC along
with Ms. Maanya Saxena, Advs. with
Mr. Shivam Sharma, GP.**

CORAM:
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE AMIT SHARMA

ORDER

03.06.2026

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1. This hearing has been done through hybrid mode.
2. The present petition under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, 1950, seeks the following prayers: -

“a) Issue a writ of certiorari or any other appropriate writ, order or direction, quashing the impugned action of the Respondents whereby the OCI status of the Petitioners has been cancelled without passing or communicating any reasoned or speaking order under Section 7D of the Citizenship Act, 1955;

b) Issue a writ of mandamus directing the Respondents to produce before this Hon’ble Court the complete original record, including any order alleged to have been passed pursuant to the Show Cause Notice dated 15.10.2020;

c) Direct the Respondents to restore the OCI status of the Petitioners, and/or in the alternative to permit the petitioners to travel to India;

d) Pass an appropriate writ, order or direction thereby quashing the



decision taken by the respondents to reject the application for visa preferred by the petitioners and consequently, to deny entry to the petitioners to India.

e) Pass any other order(s) as this Hon'ble Court may deem fit, in the facts and circumstances of the case, in the interest of justice."

3. Learned counsel for the respondents had handed up in the Court today an Office Memorandum bearing no. 18037/109/2025/F-VII, dated 02.06.2026, which reads as under: -

No.18037/109/2025/F-VII
Government of India
Ministry of Home Affairs
(Foreigners Division)

URGENT

Major Dhyan Chand National Stadium,
New Delhi - 110001
Dated, the 2nd June, 2026

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject: W.P No 7228/2026 filed by Indira Jagdishbhai Patel & Others before the Hon'ble High Court of Delhi.

Please refer to OCI Section's I.D Note No. 28011/CC/07/2026-OCI dated 29.05.2026 on the above mentioned subject.

2 In this regard it is stated that according to the BL Portal, the entry ban on foreigners (Petitioners herein) i.e Mr. Jayantibhai Navnitlal Patel, Ms Indira Jagdishbhai Patel, Ms Viyona Patel, Mr Bachubhai Navnitlal Patel (UK Nationals) have been removed from BL Portal on 17.12.2025. Therefore, as of now, there is no impediment in respect of applicants for their travel to India with proper travel documents and suitable India Visa.

3 Hence, OCI Section may co-ordinate with MEA/Bol and the concerned CGSC immediately as the next date of hearing is 03.06.2026, to defend the Ministry including visa matter (if any) in the subject matter.

(S.S.Chawla)
Section Officer (F.VII)
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To

Under Secretary (OCI),
M/o Home Affairs

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4. In view of the above, learned counsel appearing on behalf of the petitioner seeks leave of this Court to withdraw the present petition.
5. Leave granted.
6. The present petition is dismissed as withdrawn and disposed of accordingly.
7. Pending application(s), if any, also stand disposed of.
8. Order be uploaded on the website of this Court, *forthwith*.

**AMIT SHARMA, J
(VACATION JUDGE)**

JUNE 3, 2026/kr/db