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\* **IN THE HIGH COURT OF DELHI AT NEW DELHI**  
+ **W.P.(C) 1102/2026**

**INDRA FISH MARKET ASSOCIATION** .....Petitioner

Through: Mr. Abdul Qadir, Mr. Yadunandan  
Bansal, Mr. Syed Kashan Ali, Mr.  
Shawariya Muzaffar and Ms. Mallika  
Rani, Advs. (M:9990660275)

versus

**DDA AND ORS.** .....Respondents

Through: Ms. Beenashaw N. Soni, Addl.  
Standing Counsel, DDA with Ms.  
Mansi Jain and Ms. Katyani Malhotra,  
Advs. (M: 9810046611)

**CORAM:**  
**JUSTICE PRATHIBA M. SINGH**  
**JUSTICE MADHU JAIN**

**ORDER**  
% **13.03.2026**

1. This hearing has been done through hybrid mode.

**CM APPL.15475/2026 (for modification of order) in W.P.(C) 1102/2026**

2. The present application has been filed by the Petitioner under Section 151 of the Code of Civil Procedure, 1908 seeking modification of the order dated 27th January, 2026.
3. The Petitioner is a registered welfare association stating to represent 37 fish and vegetable vendors, who are vending at the Indra Fish Market, opposite Bhumme Heen Camp, Sant Guru Ravidas Marg, Kalkaji, New Delhi-110019. The list of the members of the Petitioner association is as follows:



1. Indra Fish Market Association  
Through its President.  
Mr. Sukumar Sarkar S/o Vipul Sarkar  
R/o C-424, 4<sup>th</sup> floor, Pocket A-14, Block C,  
Kalkaji Extn., Kalkaji, South Delhi,  
Delhi 110019.
2. Hanif Sheikh S/o Abdul Wahid  
R/o B-54, Navjeevan Camp, Govindpuri,  
Kalkaji, South Delhi, Delhi-110019.
3. Hare Krishan Das S/o Anand Das  
R/o 204, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, Block-B, Pocket-A-14,  
Govind Puri, Kalkaji Extn., Kalkaji,  
South Delhi, Delhi 110019.
4. Gunodhar Roy S/o Rakhal Chander Roy  
R/o B-13, Bhoomiheen Camp, Kalkaji,  
South Delhi, Delhi 110019.
5. Chitranjan Das, S/o Falan Das  
R/o 214, Second Floor, Block-B,  
Pocket A-14, Kalkaji Extn, Kalkaji,  
South Delhi, Delhi 110019.
6. Kartik Mandal S/o Aswani Mandal



R/o 506, 5<sup>th</sup> Floor, Block-B, Pocket A-14,  
Kalkaji Extn, Kalkaji, South Delhi, Delhi-110019.

7. Rita W/o Ranjit Halder,  
R/o 1034 10<sup>th</sup> floor, Block-A, Pocket A-14,  
South Delhi, Delhi-110019.

8. Hira Lal Sarkar S/o Subodh Sarkar,  
R/o House A-29, Block-A, Bhoomiheen Camp,  
Kalkaji, South Delhi, Delhi-110019.

9. Narayan Das S/o Asha Nand,  
R/o B-432, Bhoomiheen Camp, Kalkaji,  
South Delhi, Delhi 110019.

10. Vivihishan Das S/o Ramesh Das,  
R/o TA-32, Block-TA, Gali No. 13,  
Tughlakabad Extn., Delhi-110019.

11. Gautam Adhikari S/o Sukhlal Adhikari,  
R/o C-232, Bhoomiheen Camp, Kalkaji,  
South Delhi, Delhi-110019.

12. Keshav Sarkar S/o Vipul Sarkar,  
R/o 411, 4<sup>th</sup> Floor, Block-A, Pocket A-14,  
Kalkaji Extn, Govindpuri, Kalkaji,  
South Delhi,

13. Priyanka W/o Piyatosh Das,  
R/o 411, Bhoomiheen Camp, Govind Puri,  
Aali, Kalkaji, South Delhi, Delhi-110019

14. Reba Halder W/o Lakhan Halder,  
R/o Near Fish Market, TA-189/C,  
3<sup>rd</sup> Floor, Gali No.2, Tuglakabad Extn.,  
Alaknanda, South Delhi Delhi-110019

15. Tapan Gayen S/o Late Dina Nath Gayen  
R/o 130, 1<sup>st</sup> Floor, Block-A, Pocket-A-14,  
Kalkaji Extn., Kalkaji, South Delhi,  
Delhi 110019

16. Prince S/o Naresh Kumar



R/o 8D, Pocket A-3, Everest Apartment,  
Kalkaji Extn, Kalkaji, South Delhi,  
Delhi-110019

17. Manoj Sarkar S/o Vipul Sarkar,  
R/o C-22, Bhoominheen Camp, Kalkaji,  
South Delhi, Delhi-110019.
18. Ramdev Gain S/o late Haripada Gain,  
R/o 819, 8<sup>th</sup> Floor, Block-A, Pocket-A-14,  
Kalkaji Extn, Kalkaji, South Delhi,  
Delhi-110019
19. Biswajit Karmokar S/o P.K. Karmokar,  
R/o 516, 5<sup>th</sup> Floor, Block-A, Pocket-A-14,  
Kalkaji Extn. Kalkaji, South Delhi,  
Delhi-110019.
20. Subhash Das S/o Chand Das,  
R/o 1952, 10<sup>th</sup> Floor, Block-A, Pocket A-14,  
Kalkaji Extn. Kalkaji, South Delhi,  
Delhi-110019.
21. Anita Das W/o Har Krishan Das,  
349, 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor Block-A, Pocket A-14,  
Kalkaji Extn. Kalkaji, South Delhi,  
Delhi-110019.
22. Haran Mandal S/o Santosh Mandal,  
1218, 12<sup>th</sup> Floor Block-A, Pocket A-14,  
Kalkaji Extn. Kalkaji, South Delhi,  
Delhi-110019.
23. Sumitra das W/o Ashanand Das,  
R/o D.D.A. Flat, Near Fish Market, C-267,  
Bhoomiheen Camp, Kalkaji, South Delhi,  
Delhi-110019.
24. Ram Charan Das S/o Madhu Sudhan,  
R/o 315, 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor, Block-A, Pocket A-14,  
Kalkaji Extn. Kalkaji, South Delhi,  
Delhi-110019.



25. Shyam Sunder Das S/o Sadanand Das,  
R/o C-656, Bhoomiheen Camp, Kalkaji,  
South Delhi, Delhi-110019.
26. Sudhir Mandal S/o Sudhan Mandal  
R/o B-622 Bhoomiheen Camp, Kalkaji,  
South Delhi, Delhi-110019.
27. Rohi Das S/o Flon Das  
R/o Near fish Market, C-270, Bhoomiheen  
Camp, Kalkaji, South Delhi, Delhi-110019.
28. Usha Devi W/o Ram Pal,  
R/o D-225, Block-D, Bhoomiheen Camp,  
Kalkaji, South Delhi, Delhi-110019
29. Khitish Mallick S/o Amullo Mallick,  
R/o 1453, 14<sup>th</sup> Floor Block-A, Pocket-A-14,  
Kalkaji Extn, Kalkaji, South Delhi  
Delhi-110019.
30. Tapas Halder S/o Murari Halder,  
R/o 308, 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor, Block-B Pocket A-14,  
Kalkaji Extn, Kalkaji, South Delhi  
Delhi-110019.
31. Vipul Sarkar S/o Palam Sarkar,  
R/o C-22, Bhoomiheen Camp, Kalkaji,  
South Delhi, Delhi 110019.
32. Ashok Biswas S/o Chandra Biswas,  
R/o C-216, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, Block-B Pocket A-14,  
Kalkaji Extn, Kalkaji, South Delhi  
Delhi-110019.
33. Basanti W/o Hari Das,  
R/o C-427, Bhoomiheen Camp, Kalkaji,  
South Delhi, Delhi-110019.
34. Nirmal Majhi W/o Shyam Majhi,  
R/o Near D.D.A Flats, Kalkaji, B-467,  
Bhoomiheen Camp, Govind Puri, Kalkaji  
South Delhi, Delhi-110019.



35. Ravidas S/o Late Radha Kant Das,  
R/o Falt No. 409, 4<sup>th</sup> Floor, Block-A,  
Pocket A-14, Kalkaji Extn, Kalkaji,  
South Delhi, Delhi-110019

36. Deepali W/o Govind Chand,  
R/o 207, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, Block-C, Pocket A-14,  
Govind Puri, Kalkaji Extn., Kalkaji,  
South Delhi, Delhi-110019.

37. Karuna Dass w/o Govind Dass,  
R/o C-47, Bhoomiheen Camp, Govindpuri,  
Kalkaji, South Delhi, Delhi-110019.

4. The case of the Petitioner association in the present application is that the Respondents are threatening to take coercive action, including eviction/demolition of the sites of the Petitioner association at the Indra Fish Market.

5. *Vide* order dated 27<sup>th</sup> January, 2026, the present writ petition had been disposed of in the following terms:

“[...]”

*4. In terms of the above order, the Petitioner was permitted to approach the Delhi Development Authority (hereinafter, ‘DDA’) for allotment of an alternate site for carrying out their vending activity.*

*5. Pursuant thereto, the Petitioner made a representation dated 9th September, 2025 (hereinafter, ‘representation’) to DDA regarding allotment of alternative site for vending. Thereafter, Petitioner had filed W.P. (C)14593/2025 seeking directions to the concerned officials of DDA for considering Petitioner’s representation and allotment of an alternate site.*

*6. Subsequently, vide order dated 8th October, 2025 in*



W.P. (C)14593/2025 the Court had directed DDA to decide the representation of the Petitioners within six weeks from the said order.

7. However, the grievance of the Petitioner is that no decision has been taken by DDA. Thus, the Petitioner has preferred the present petition seeking directions to the DDA to decide the Petitioner's representation to take the decision in a time bound manner. Ld. Counsel submits that the members of the Petitioner association are also willing to pay any charges for the alternate site which may be allotted for setting up their vends.

8. Ms. Beenashaw N Soni, ld. Counsel for the DDA submits that the Petitioners are still vending their wares from the old site, in terms of the provisional Certificate of Vending. It is further submitted that the representation is under consideration before the higher authorities.

9. The Court has considered the matter. In the facts of this case, since the representation is pending for long, let DDA take a decision on Petitioner's representation by 30th April, 2026...."

6. In terms of the above order, the Court had directed that the representation of the Petitioner association shall be decided by 30<sup>th</sup> April, 2026, by the Delhi Development Authority (*hereinafter*, 'DDA').

7. On behalf of the Petitioner association, it is submitted by ld. Counsel that there are coercive steps being taken against the members of the Petitioner association.

8. Ld. Counsel for the Petitioner association also submits that the members of the Petitioner association are not operating any permanent or *pakka* shops, nor have they erected any permanent structures at the site. It is



submitted that the members merely set up temporary stalls for the purpose of vending fish or vegetables for a limited duration of approximately two hours in the morning and two hours in the evening.

9. The Court has heard Id. Counsels for the parties. Considering the fact that the representation of the Petitioner association is to be decided by the DDA, by 30<sup>th</sup> April, 2026, it is directed that no coercive measures shall be taken against the members of the Petitioner association, as mentioned above. The said direction is being passed subject to the following conditions:

- (i) The members of the Petitioner association shall not erect any permanent/*pukka* structures at the site in question;
- (ii) The members of the Petitioner association are permitted to vend only for a limited duration, from 8:00 am to 10:00 am in the morning and 6:00 pm to 9:00 pm in the evening, and shall strictly adhere to the aforesaid timings.
- (iii) They shall maintain cleanliness in and around the vending area and shall ensure that no litter, waste, or garbage is spread or left behind at the site.
- (iv) They shall not occupy more than the necessary area of the pavement and shall not occupy any part of the public road.

10. The DDA shall be at liberty to conduct periodic or surprise inspections at the site to ensure compliance with the aforesaid conditions by the members of the Petitioner association.

11. Subject to the Petitioner members complying with the aforesaid conditions, no coercive measures shall be taken against them, until the representation is decided by the DDA.



12. The application is disposed of in the above terms. No further orders are called for in the matter.

**PRATHIBA M. SINGH, J.**

**MADHU JAIN, J.**

**MARCH 13, 2026/dk/sm**