

**IN THE SUPREME COURT OF INDIA
CIVIL ORIGINAL JURISDICTION**

TRANSFER PETITION (CIVIL) NO.1344/2026

M/S SHARMA PUBLICATIONS PVT. LTD.

PETITIONER

VERSUS

STATE OF CHHATTISGARH & ORS.

RESPONDENTS

O R D E R

- 1.** The present petition has been filed under Section 25 of the Code of Civil Procedure, 1908 (for short "CPC") by the petitioner seeking transfer of Arbitration Application No.3838/2024, titled as "M/S Sharma Publications Pvt. Ltd. Vs. State of Chhattisgarh & Ors." pending before the District Court, Raipur, Chhattisgarh to the High Court of Delhi.
- 2.** Learned counsel appearing for the respondent(s) has no objection for the dispute being transferred.
- 3.** Consequently, the petition bearing Arbitration Application No.3838/2024, titled as "M/S Sharma Publications Pvt. Ltd. Vs. State of Chhattisgarh & Ors." pending before the District Court, Raipur, Chhattisgarh is transferred to the High Court of Delhi and it is to be tagged and heard alongwith O.M.P. (COMM) No.353/2025 titled as "State of Chhattisgarh & Ors. Vs. M/S Sharma Publications Pvt. Ltd." pending before the High Court of Delhi.
- 4.** Records shall be sent by the Court where proceedings are pending to the transferee Court promptly.

5. A copy of this order be sent to the concerned courts for compliance.
6. On an application made by the parties, the Court to which the case is transferred shall permit the parties to appear through video conference on all dates except on the dates on which their personal presence is absolutely mandatory.
7. The transfer petition stands allowed in the aforesaid terms.
8. Pending application(s), if any, shall stand disposed of.

.....J.
(ARAVIND KUMAR)

.....J.
(VIPUL M. PANCHOLI)

**NEW DELHI;
SEPTEMBER 24, 2025.**

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Transfer Petition(s) (Civil) No(s).1344/2026

M/S SHARMA PUBLICATIONS PVT. LTD.

Petitioner(s)

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Respondent(s)

IA No. 136841/2026 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING O.T.

IA No. 136839/2026 - STAY APPLICATION

Date : 24-09-2026 This matter was called on for hearing today.

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ARAVIND KUMAR
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE VIPUL M. PANCHOLI

For Petitioner(s) : Mr. Dipak Kumar Jena, AOR
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For Respondent(s) : Ms. Ankita Sharma, AOR
Mr. Arjun D Singh, Adv.
Ms. Ishika Neogi, Adv.
Ms. Gargi Vishwakarma, Adv.

UPON hearing the counsel the Court made the following
O R D E R

Transfer Petition is allowed in terms of the signed order placed on the file.

Pending application(s), if any, shall stand disposed of.

(NEHA GUPTA)
COURT MASTER (SH)

(AVGV RAMU)
COURT MASTER (NSH)