

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY

ORDINARY ORIGINAL CIVIL JURISDICTION

Writ Petition No 814 of 2017

Pervin Jehangir and oths. ... Petitioners

Vs.

Union of India and oths. ...Respondents

UNDERTAKING ON BEHALF OF MMRCL R. No. 4

I, Ashok Bhasme, Deputy General Manager and the authorized representative of MMRCL R. No. 4 (Mumbai Metro Rail Corporation Ltd.), having my office at NaMTTRI, E-Block, B.K.C., Bandra (East), Mumbai - 400 051, tender the following undertaking in compliance with the order of this Honourable Court dated 5th May 2017.

1. I state that Stations for the Metro Line - 3 are also going to be underground, with only certain structures for access, ventilation and other miscellaneous allied services being above ground. Although construction of the stations does entail cutting / removal of trees, on completion of the station construction, almost 90 - 95% of the area affected will be restored as a level vacant area and only 5 - 10% of the area will be utilized for access, ventilation and other services etc. Accordingly MMRC will ensure that trees equivalent to the number of trees affected (i.e. both trees cut & trees removed for transplantation) will be planted in the said area on completion of the station construction work. MMRC will take steps to ensure that trees of adequate girth of about 18"- 24" are made available & are planted in the said affected area. MMRC will also ensure for a period of three years thereafter such planted trees are looked, safeguarded & maintained. Accordingly MMRC will ensure that there is no loss of tree cover in all the areas affected by station construction.



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2. I undertake that MMRC will plant an equivalent number of trees (equivalent to the number of trees affected by Station construction) in each of the areas affected by such station construction, on the completion of the station construction work and MMRC's will look after, safeguard & maintain such trees for a period of three years thereafter. Accordingly MMRC will ensure that there is no diminution / attrition in the extent of tree cover in the areas affected by the Metro construction.

Solemnly affirmed at Mumbai)
on this the 9th day of May 2017)

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I identify,

Deponent

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Advocate for **MMRCL**

Before me

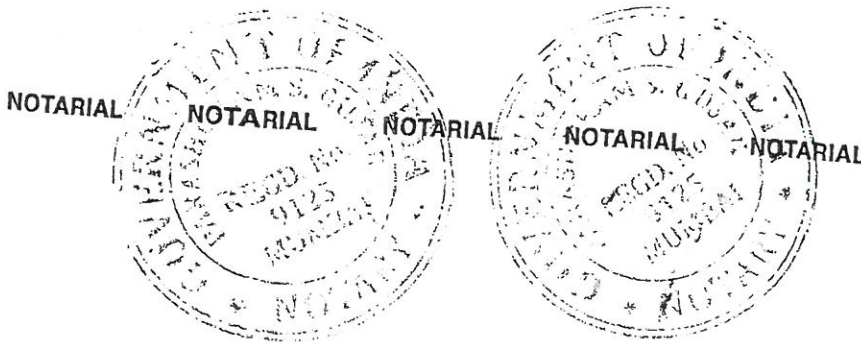
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R. No. 4 (in W. P. No. 814 of 2017)

2-A/507, Shree Ganesh Nagar,
CMS Ltd. Opp. Narayan Baiji Dhabadi
Lalbaug, Mumbai - 400012.



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