

IN THE HIGH COURT OF HIMACHAL PRADESH, SHIMLA
ON THE 31ST DAY OF OCTOBER, 2022

BEFORE

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SANDEEP SHARMA

CIVIL SUIT NO. 90 OF 2018

Between:

M.S. SERVICE PRIVATE LIMITED,
SCO-1, 1ST FLOOR, HIMUDA
COMMERCIAL COMPLEX, SAI ROAD,
BADDI, DISTRICT SOLAN, H.P.173205,
THROUGH SH. MANIK MAHAJAN
S/O SH. C.L. GUPTA, R/O VILLAGE AND
POST OFFICE BANJAR, TEHSIL AND
DISTRICT KULLU, H.P.175123.

....PLAINTIFF.

(BY MR. RAHUL MAHAJAN, ADVOCATE)

AND

THE CHIEF PROJECT DIRECTOR, SOLAN,
H.P. MID HIMALAYAN WATER
DEVELOPMENT PROJECT, SOLAN, H.P.
HAVING ITS OFFICE AT SOLAN 173212.

....DEFENDANT.

(BY MR. NARENDER GULERIA,
ADDITIONAL ADVOCATE GENERAL WITH
MR. SUNNY DHATWALIA, ASSISTANT
ADVOCATE GENERAL)

Whether approved for reporting?

This suit coming on for orders this day, the Court passed the following:

ORDER

Learned counsel representing the parties fairly state that on account of Notification dated 10.10.2022, issued by Government of Himachal Pradesh, pecuniary jurisdiction of District Judiciary as well as High Court of

Himachal Pradesh, has been enhanced and as such, this Court has now jurisdiction to entertain the suit having value of more than rupees 'one crore' and District judge has a jurisdiction to entertain the suit up to the value of rupees 'one crore'.

2. In view of the above, instant case being below rupees 'one crore' is required to be sent to the court below for further proceedings.

3. Consequently, in view of above, Registry is directed to transfer the case file of instant case to the Court of learned District Judge Solan, enabling it to proceed further with the matter from the stage it has been left by this Court.

4. Learned counsel representing parties undertake to cause presence of their respective clients either in person or through their counsel before the Court below on **13.3.2023**, enabling it to proceed with the matter. Registry to ensure that entire pleadings along with documents filed by the parties to the *lis* are also sent to the Court below forthwith.

**(Sandeep Sharma),
Judge**

31st October, 2022
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