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**Government of India  
Ministry of Communications  
Department of Telecommunications  
Sanchar Bhawan, 20, Ashoka Road, New Delhi - 110 001  
(Data Services Cell)**

**No. 813-7/25/2011-DS (Vol.VII)(Part-III)**

**Dated:10-06-2022**

**To,**

**All Internet Service Licensees'**

**Subject: CS (Comm) No. 470 of 2021; Ramada International, Inc. v/s. La-Ramada World Private Limited & Anr. Before Hon'ble Delhi High Court.**

Kindly find the enclosed Hon'ble Delhi High Court order dated 30<sup>th</sup> May, 2022 in the subject matter court case C.S. (Comm) No. 470 of 2022 along with list of 2 infringing websites/domain (also mentioned in court order), as provided by the counsel for the plaintiff.

2. Hon'ble Court vide order dated 30<sup>th</sup> May, 2022 has, inter alia, directed to DoT that:

*9. Considering the nature of the matter and the Defendants' complete disrespect being shown to the orders of this Court, DoT/MEITY are directed to block the domain names **www.lrw.co.in** and **www.lrworld.co.in** and direct ISPs to block access to the said websites.*

3. Accordingly, in view of the above, all the Internet Service licensees are hereby notified/instructed to take immediate necessary action for compliance of the court order dated 30<sup>th</sup> May, 2022 with respect to 2 infringing websites/domains immediately.

Encl: A/A

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\* **IN THE HIGH COURT OF DELHI AT NEW DELHI**  
+ **CS (COMM) 470/2021 & I.As. 8762-63/2022**

RAMADA INTERNATIONAL, INC ..... Plaintiff

Through: Mr. Dushyant K. Mahant, Mr.  
Ashwani Dalayan and Mr. Pranay  
Bali, Advocates. (M:9773770851)

versus

LA-RAMADA WORLD PRIVATE LIMITED  
& ANR. .... Defendants

Through: None.

**CORAM:**

**JUSTICE PRATHIBA M. SINGH**

**ORDER**

% **30.05.2022**

1. This hearing has been done through hybrid mode.

**I.A.8763/2022 (for exemption)**

2. This is an application filed by the Plaintiff for exemption from filing certified copies of Court orders.

3. Allowed, subject to all just exceptions.

4. Accordingly, *I.A.8763/2022* is disposed of.

**I.A.8762/2022 (for direction)**

5. Pursuant to the last order dated 15th March, 2022, the Local Commissioner who was appointed to visit the premises of the Defendants, has filed his report. A perusal of the report shows that the Defendants are continuously and brazenly using the mark 'LA RAMADA' despite the injunction order being passed by this Court.

6. Moreover, the Local Commissioner's report also shows that Defendant No. 2 Mr. Dharmender Kumar Sharma, was present at the premises. He was handed over the copy of the order and the commission was also executed in his presence.

7. A perusal of the report further shows that the Defendant No. 2 also tried to deny access to the Commissioner to various documents and materials, which were bearing the injuncted mark 'LA RAMADA'. The photographs filed with the report including the photographs of the building, external signage, the stationery, envelopes, letter heads, etc. all show that the Defendants are using the mark 'LA RAMADA' contumaciously.

8. The conduct of the Defendant No. 2 in concealing the material bearing the mark 'LA RAMADA' in a cupboard and not giving access to the Commissioner is also completely unacceptable in the opinion of the Court. Moreover, the website of the Defendant is also stated to be functioning as on date, hence this application seeks directions to DoT and MEITY to block the domain names of the Defendants i.e. <lrw.co.in> and <lrworld.co.in>.

9. Considering the nature of the matter and the Defendants' complete disrespect being shown to the orders of this Court, DoT/MEITY are directed to block the domain names [www.lrw.co.in](http://www.lrw.co.in) and [www.lrworld.co.in](http://www.lrworld.co.in) and direct ISPs to block access to the said websites. The National Internet Exchange of India and Endurance Digital Domain Technology LLP are also directed to maintain the status quo qua the domain names, block the same and also not permit any transfer of the said domain names.

10. Considering the nature of the matter,ailable warrants in the sum of Rs.25,000/- be issued against Mr. Dharmender Kumar Sharma - Defendant No.2 through SHO PS Okhla Industrial Area Phase -I, Block A, South West District.

11. Issue notice, returnable on 11<sup>th</sup> July, 2022, the date already fixed.

**PRATHIBA M. SINGH, J.**

**MAY 30, 2022/dk/ss**

**CS (Comm) No. 470 of 2021**

**[www.lrw.co.in](http://www.lrw.co.in)**

**[www.lrworld.co.in](http://www.lrworld.co.in)**