

In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 7 of the Delhi High Court Act, 1966 read with article 225 of the Constitution of India, Clause 27 of Letters Patent and all other powers enabling it in this behalf, the High Court of Delhi, hereby makes the following amendments in Chapter 6 – I of High Court Rules & Orders, Volume V, namely :-

I. For the existing Rule 1 the following shall be substituted:-

1. **Suits for debt damages and recovery of specific property** – In Suits for the recovery of specific property, or a share of specific property, whether movable or immovable, or for the breach of any contract or for damages :-
If the amount or value of the property, debt or damages decreed shall not exceed rupees five lacs(Rs.5,00,000/-) according to the valuation for purposes of appeal to the Court, the fee shall be calculated at Rs.14,500/- (Rupees fourteen thousand five hundred) and on the remainder at 1 per cent subject, however, that in no case the amount of fee shall exceed Rs.50,000/-(Rupees fifty thousand) or the actual, whichever is less, subject to the condition that a certificate of fee must be filed.

II. For the existing Rule 8, the following shall be substituted :-

8. **Miscellaneous proceedings** – In any miscellaneous proceedings or for any matter other than that of appearing, acting or pleading in a suit prior to decree, the fee shall be fixed by the Court with reference to the nature and importance of the proceedings or matter;
Provided that in no case shall the amount allowed in respect of such fee exceed Rs.2,000/-(Rupees two thousand) or below Rs.500/-(Rupees five hundred).

III In the existing first proviso to rule 15, sub paras (i) and (ii) for the figures 'Rs.75' and 'Rs.15/-', figures 'Rs.750/-' and 'Rs.250/-' respectively shall be substituted.

NOTE:- These amendments shall come into force with immediate effect.

By Order of the Court
Sd/-
(BHARAT BHUSHAN)
REGISTRAR GENERAL