## HIGH COURT OF DELHI AT NEW DELHI

No. 9/Rules/DHC Dated: 29.12.2011

## **PRACTICE DIRECTIONS**

While passing an order in Crl.A.1008/2011 titled "Mohd. Wasim Vs. State NCT of Delhi", Crl.A.1180/2011 titled "Mohd. Shahnawaz @ Tarik Vs. State NCT of Delhi" and Crl.A.1245.2011 titled "Mohd. Tanveer Vs. State NCT of Delhi", the Division Bench comprising Hon'ble Mr. Justice S. Ravindra Bhat and Hon'ble Ms. Justice Pratibha Rani has directed that applications under Section 7-A of Juvenile Justice (Care and Protection of Children) Act, 2000 filed before this court should either contain or be supported by affidavits containing relevant information such as:-

- (i) the names, place of residence and birth of the party and his parents;
- (ii) the number of children, sequence of their births and their approximate dates and/or years of births, (of the parents of the applicant). This would include information as to both living and deceased children so as to assist the Courts in their task;
- (iii) copies of any of the following documents such as:-
  - (a) Ration Card;
  - (b) Voter ID Card or any other extracts;
  - (c) Extract of village record or registers which may or may not include the particulars of the children but would have a bearing on fixing their age and date of birth; and
  - (d) Any other proof of date of birth such as Village or Taluka or District School Certificate, or Voter ID Card of any family member which disclose their date or age and so on.

The registry shall however take care that absence of some particulars should not lead to injustice, the application or affidavit should contain at least some particulars.

BY ORDER Sd/-(V.P. VAISH) Registrar General