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No. 813-07/LM-21/2023-DS-II

Dated: 02.06.2023

To,

All Internet Service Licensee's

Subject: CS (COMM) No. 366 of 2023 Sony Pictures Animation Inc. v. Flixhd.cc & Ors Before Hon'ble Delhi High Court.

Kindly refer to the following:

(i) Hon'ble Delhi High Court order dated 29.05.2023 on the subject. (Annexure-I)

(ii) Please refer Para 17(iii) of said court order regarding blocking of 101 websites identified by plaintiff.

(iii) Memo of Parties in CS (Comm) No. 366 of 2023. (Annexure -II)

(Copies enclosed for ready reference)

2. In view of the above all the Internet Service licensees are hereby instructed to take immediate necessary action for blocking access to websites of defendants no. 1 to 101 as given in memo of parties.

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- (iii) IT wing of DoT for uploading on DoT websites please.

* IN THE HIGH COURT OF DELHI AT NEW DELHI

+ CS(COMM) 366/2023 & I.A. 10681/2023, I.A. 10682/2023, I.A. 10683/2023

SONY PICTURES ANIMATION INC. Plaintiff

Through: Mr. Saikrishna Rajagopal, Ms. Suhasini Raina, Ms. Ramya Ramkumar, Ms. Mehr Sidhu, Mr. Raghav Goyal, Mr. Sanidhya Rao and Ms. Anjali Agrawal, Advs.

versus

FLIXHD.CC/ & ORS.

.... Defendants

Through: None

CORAM:

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE C.HARI SHANKAR

ORDER 29.05.2023

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CS(COMM) 366/2023

- 1. The plaintiff is aggrieved by the fact that the movie "Spider-Man: Across The Spider-Verse" is available for viewing on various websites which are characterised in the suit as a rogue websites though the plaintiff, as the copyright holder in the cinematograph film, has not licensed the right to broadcast or communicate, to the public, the said film to any other authorities/websites, except its own.
- 2. It is also pointed out that several of the impugned websites have also advertised the impending broadcast of the film, "Spider-Man: Across The Spider-Verse", which is supposedly the sequel of the film "Spider-Man: Into The Spider-Verse"

- 3. Characterising the impugned websites as rogue websites as defined by this Court in its judgment in UTV Software Communication Ltd. v. 1337X.To¹, the plaint seeks a decree of permanent injunction restraining the said Defendant websites Nos. 1 to 101, as well as any mirror/redirect/alphanumeric website associated with them, as well as all others acting on their behalf, from posting, streaming, distributing or making available to the public, the films "Spider-Man: Across The Spider-Verse" and "Spider-Man: Into The Spider-Verse". Additionally, a direction has been sought, directing Defendants 102 to 110, who are the internet service providers (ISPs), to block access to the websites at serial nos. 1 to 101 of the array of parties in the suit. It is further prayed that Defendant 111 and 112 be directed to issue a notification, calling on internet and telecom service providers registered under them to block access to Defendants 1 to 101.
- **4.** Mr. Saikrishna Rajagopal, learned Counsel for the plaintiff submits that several earlier similar orders have been passed by this Court, starting with the decision in *UTV Software Communication Ltd.*¹. He also submits that the impugned websites at S. Nos. 1 to 101 of the array of parties in the suit eminently qualify the criteria prescribed by this Court in *UTV Software Communication Ltd.*¹ to characterise a website as a rogue website.
- **5.** *Prima facie*, the submission of Mr. Rajagopal merits acceptance.
- **6.** As such, let the plaint be registered as a suit.

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7. Issue summons in the suit.

8. Written statement, accompanied by affidavit of admission and

denial of the documents filed by the plaintiff be filed within 30 days

with advance copy to learned Counsel for the plaintiff who may file

replication thereto, accompanied by affidavit of admission and denial

of the documents filed by the defendants within 30 days thereof.

9. List before the learned Joint Registrar (Judicial) for completion

of the pleadings, admission and denial of documents and marking of

exhibits on 31st July 2023, whereafter the matter would be placed

before the Court for case management hearing and further

proceedings.

I.A. 10681/2023 (under Order XXXIX Rules 1 and 2 of the CPC)

10. This is an application by the plaintiff under Order XXXIX

Rules 1 and 2 of the Code of Civil Procedure, 1908(CPC), seeking

interlocutory injunctive reliefs.

11. The facts of the case as recited hereinabove indicate that the

plaintiff's copyright in the films "Spider-Man: Across The Spider-

Verse" and "Spider-Man: Into The Spider-Verse" have/are in the

process of being infringed and violated by the Defendants 1 to 101.

12. Having perused the judgment in UTV Software

Communication Ltd. 1, this Court also finds that, prima facie, the

websites at serial Nos. 1 to 101 qualify as "rogue websites" as defined

in the said decision.

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- **13.** As such, the plaintiff would be entitled to *ex-parte* interim relief.
- **14.** Issue notice, returnable before the Court on 4th September 2023.
- 15. Notice be served by all modes.
- **16.** Reply to the application be filed within four weeks with advance copy to learned Counsel for the plaintiff, who may file rejoinder thereto, if any, within four weeks.
- **17.** Till the next date of hearing, the following interim directions are issued:
 - (i) Defendants 1 to 101, as well as all others acting on their behalf, are restrained from posting, streaming, reproducing, distributing or making available to the public, on their websites, or through the internet, in any manner whatsoever, any cinematograph work/content/program in which the plaintiff has copyright, including the films "Spider-Man: Across The Spider-Verse" and "Spider-Man: Into The Spider-Verse".
 - (ii) Defendants 102 to 110 are directed to block access to the websites at S. Nos. 1 to 101, as well as any mirror/redirect/alphanumeric websites which appear to be associated with any of the said websites.
 - (iii) Defendants 111 to 112 are directed to issue a notification calling on all internet and telecom service providers to block the access to the websites at Serial Nos. 1 to 101 of the Memo of

Parties in the suit.

18. The plaintiff is directed to comply with the requirement of

Order XXXIX Rule 3 of the CPC within a period of one week from

today.

I.A. 10682/2023 (under Section 80 of the Code of Civil Procedure,

1908 (CPC)

19. This is an application by the plaintiff seeking exemption from

the requirement of serving an advance notice under Section 80 of the

Code of Civil Procedure, 1908 (CPC) on Defendants 111, Department

of Telecommunications (DoT) and Defendant No.112, the Ministry of

Electronics and Information Technology (MEITY) respectively.

20. Given the nature of the reliefs sought in the plaint, the prayer is

allowed.

21. The application stands disposed of.

I.A. 10683/2023 (Exemption)

22. Subject to the plaintiff's filing legible copies of any dim or

illegible documents on which it may seek to place reliance within 30

days from today, exemption is granted for the present.

23. The application is disposed of.

24. *Dasti.*

C. HARI SHANKAR, J.

MAY 29, 2023/*dsn*



IN THE HIGH COURT OF DELHI AT NEW DELHI (ORDINARY ORIGINAL COMMERCIAL JURISDICTION) CS (COMM) NO. OF 2023

CODE=36017.01

IN THE MATTER OF

Sony Pictures Animation Inc.

...Plaintiff

Versus

flixhd.cc/ & Ors.

...Defendants

MEMO OF PARTIES

IN THE MATTER OF

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... Plaintiff

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Note: Defendant Nos. 1-101 are the main Contesting Defendants.