

In exercise of the power conferred by Sections 122 and 129 of the Code of Civil Procedure, 1908 and Section 7 of the Delhi High Court Act, 1966 (Act 26 of 1966) and all other powers enabling it in this behalf, the High Court of Delhi, hereby makes the following amendment in the Delhi High Court (Original Side) Rules, 1967 :-

The following shall be substituted for the existing Rule 2 (ii) & 3 of Chapter VI of Delhi High Court (Original Side) Rules, 1967 :-

“2(ii) Where the summons is for appearance and for filing written statement, the defendant shall file the written statement within 30 days from the date of service of summons. A copy of the written statement shall not be accepted unless it contains an endorsement of service signed by such party of his advocate.

3. **Extension of time for filing written statement :-** Where the defendant fails to file written statement within the period of 30 days as stated in rule 2 (ii) he shall be allowed to file the same on such other day as may be specified by the court on an application made in writing setting forth sufficient ground for such extension and support, if so required, by an affidavit but such day shall not be later than 90 days from the service of summons.”

Note : THESE AMENDMENTS SHALL COME INTO FORCE WITH IMMEDIATE EFFECT.

BY ORDER OF THE COURT

Sd/-  
(S.N. AGGARWAL )  
REGISTRAR GENERAL