ORDER

Kite flying has been a passionate sport in Delhi. For kites flying, various types of the threads, known as Manjha in common parlance, are used including ordinary manjha and special Manjha.

Whereas, of late, a new type of "manjha" with metallic powder coating is available in the market. This type of "manjha" is not only very strong but also a good conductor of electricity. Due to a fine metal coating, whenever such type of "manjha entangles/comes in contact with overhead electricity supply cables including high voltage lines, electric current runs through the manjha thread, resulting in danger of electrocution of the kite flyer or unsuspected passer-by and also causing disruption of the power supply system.

And whereas, it has been found that the threads with metallic powder coating being used for kite flying are good conductors of electricity and are dangerous to electrical installation as well as to the persons using them as it may cause flash over the overhead transmission lines and electrocution of the individual.

And whereas, it has also been noticed that the threads coated with metallic powder or any other such chemical material, being used for kite flying, are causing injury, danger to human life as well as other living beings, for example birds, animals, etc.

And whereas, it is necessary to take suitable measures to prevent danger to the electrical installations, annoyance to the public, danger to human life and safety and the disturbance of the public tranquility.

Now, therefore in exercise of the powers conferred upon me by section 144 of Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973 (No. 2 of 1974) read with Govt. of India, Ministry of Home Affairs Notification No. U-11036/3/1978(I)-UTL dated 01.07.1978 an GNCT's notification number F.12(508)/Env./Ban on Manjha/2015/64-81, dated 10.01.2017, **I Pankaj Kumar, Addl. Deputy Commissioner of Police-I, Rohini District** do hereby order that no person shall store or sell or use the special "manjha" viz. metallic powder coated "manjha" in the entire jurisdiction of Rohini District., Delhi

This order shall come into force with effect **from 05.08.2023 and shall be effective upto 30.09.2023 (both days inclusive)** unless withdrawn earlier.

Any person contravening this order shall be punishable under **Section 188 of the Indian Penal Code.**

As the notice cannot be served individually on all concerned, the order is hereby passed ex-parte. It shall be published for the information of the public through the press and broadcast over All India Radio and by affixing copies on the notice boards of all DCsP, Addl. DCsP/ACsP, Tehsil offices of the Districts, all Police Stations concerned and the offices of the NDMC and MCD.

04/8/23

(PANKAJ KUMAR)
Addl. Dy. Commissioner of Police-I
Rohini District, Delhi

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No. 10902-11000/X-III/ RD dated Delhi, the 04/08/2023.

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