\$~17 ∗IN THE HIGH COURT OF DELHI AT NEW DELHI

+ W.P.(C) 7159/2017 & CM Nos.34894, 35429, 36381/2017

DHIRAJ BIDHURI

..... Petitioner

Through : Mr

Mr. Sushil Kr. Jain, Mr. Pankaj Mehta and Ms. Shweta Soni, Advs. with petitioner

versus

SOUTH DELHI MUNICIPAL CORPORATION AND ORS

..... Respondents

Through : Mr. Sriharsha Peechara, SC for R-SDMC with Ms. Vidhi Jain, Adv. and Mr. Ravinder Sharma, Addl.Director-Vet.Services (SDMC) Mr. Devesh Dubey for Mr. Naushad Ahmed Khan, ASC(Civil)-GNCTD Mr. Sanjeev Sabharwal, SC-DDA with Mr. Hem Kumar and Ms. Khushboo Aggarwal, Advs.

CORAM: HON'BLE THE ACTING CHIEF JUSTICE HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE C.HARI SHANKAR

% <u>ORDER</u> 14.03.2018

1. Time is sought on behalf of the GNCTD to take action. Status report in this regard shall be filed within one week from today.

page 1 of 2

2. SDMC seeks time to place a report of the inspection on record. Let the same be brought on record within one week from today. We are informed that sterilisation of dogs is outsourced by the Municipal Corporation to private contractors. So far as verification of the claims of contractors is concerned, the product of the sterilisation is produced for verification of the claimed numbers.

3. SDMC shall place before this court the possibility of video recording the sterilisations so as to verify the correctness of claims made by the contractors who undertake the same on behalf of the Corporation to ensure that the body parts of dogs are actually placed before the Municipal Corporation. This shall also ensure that there is no fudging of the records so far as animal parts as products of sterilisation produced before the Corporation.

4. List on 23^{rd} April, 2018.

ACTING CHIEF JUSTICE

C.HARI SHANKAR, J

MARCH 14, 2018/kr