REAL ESTATE REGULATORY AUTHORITY (RERA), BIHAR

Before the Full Bench of Mr. Naveen Verma, Chairman, Mr. R.B. Sinha, Member and Mrs. Nupur Banerjee, Member

Case No. RERA/CC/1263/2020

Dr.Reema Bahan..... Complainant Vs.

Agrani Homes Real Marketing Pvt. Ltd. Respondent

Project: Daffodil City - Block F

Present: For Complainant: In person

For Respondent: Mr. Alok Kumar, MD

Mr. Rana Ranvir Singh, Director

ORDER

<u>30-09-2021</u> This matter was last heard along with the batch cases before the full

3-12-2021 bench on 09.09.2021.

The case of the complainant is that she booked a 3BHK flat on 21.02.2019, in respondent's proposed project i.e. Daffodil City - Block-F, bearing flat No. 108, having an area of 1350 sq. ft and deposited Rs.2,06,500/- as an advance through cheque and for which she has filed a copy of money receipt and cheque issued by her

Perused the records of the case. The respondent company has not filed any written reply. However, Mr. Alok Kumar, Managing Director and Rana Ranveer Singh, Director of the respondent company were both present on the last date of hearing and they have not challenged the contention of the complainant and the facts are being admitted.

It is apparent from the documents filed by the complainant that notwithstanding the fact that the project was not registered, the promoter went ahead with new bookings in 2019. This is a blatant violation of Section 3 of the Real Estate (Regulation and Development) Act, 2016. Suo motu proceedings may be initiated against the respondent company under section 59 of the Real Estate (Regulation and Development) Act, 2016.

During the hearing held on 9.9.2021, the complainant requested for refund with interest.

The Bench notes that the application of registration of Project titled name "Daffodils City" has been rejected by the Authority by its letter dated 27.8.2021. The Authority also notes that on the last date Mr. Alok Kumar, Managing Director of the respondent Company had requested for time to refund the due amount.

The Authority, therefore, directs the respondent company and their Directors to refund the principal amount of Rs.2,06,500/- along with interest

calculated on it at the rate of marginal cost of lending rates (MCLR) of State Bank of India as applicable for three years or more plus two percent from the date of deposit to the date of refund within 60 days from the date of issue of order.

The Bench notes that an order with a defect in the instant case was inadvertently uploaded on the website of Authority on 1-11-2021 and the same was duly removed upon knowledge.

Sd/-	Sd/-	Sd/-
R B Sinha	Nupur Banerjee	Naveen Verma
(Member)	(Member)	(Chairman)