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Petition(s) for Special Leave to Appeal (Cr1.) No(s). 2609/2020

(Arising out of impugned final judgment and order dated 04-03-2020 in MCRC No. 6432/2020 passed by the High Court Of M.P Principal Seat At Jabalpur)

LOVLESH PRASAD PANDEY

Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

THE STATE OF MADHYA PRADESH Respondent(s)
(FOR I.R. and IA No.51803/2020-EXEMPTION FROM FILING C/C OF THE
IMPUGNED JUDGMENT and IA No.51801/2020-EXEMPTION FROM FILING O.T.
and IA No.51807/2020-APPLICATION FOR EXEMPTION FROM FILING ORIGINAL
VAKALATNAMA/OTHER DOCUMENT)

Date : 26-08-2020 This petition was called on for hearing today.

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ASHOK BHUSHAN
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE R. SUBHASH REDDY
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE M.R. SHAH

For Petitioner(s) Mr. Vikas Upadhyay, AOR

For Respondent(s) Mr. Arjun Garg, AOR
Ms. Shrutika Garg, Adv.

UPON hearing the counsel the Court made the following

O R D E R

Heard learned counsel for the parties.

In pursuance of our order dated 17.07.2020 asking the State to file a status report regarding the trial, it has been submitted by learned counsel for the State that the trial is already fixed for 20.10.2020. He further submits that there are four eye-witnesses to be examined by the prosecution at the first instance.

Learned counsel for the petitioner disputes the number of eye witnesses. He states that there are two eye witnesses.

We, at this stage, are not entering into the issue of number

of eye witnesses. We only observe that after the aforesaid witnesses are examined, it shall be open for the petitioner to file a bail application which shall be considered by the Trial Court without being influenced by the observations made earlier by the Trial Court or the High Court.

We also observe that the Trial Court shall endeavour to examine the above noted four witnesses as claimed by the prosecution at an early date.

The special leave petition stands disposed of.

Pending applications stand disposed of.

(MEENAKSHI KOHLI)
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(RENU KAPOOR)
COURT MASTER