

ITEM NO.43                      Court 6 (Video Conferencing)                      SECTION II

S U P R E M E C O U R T O F I N D I A  
RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS

Petition(s) for Special Leave to Appeal (Cr1.) No(s). 7739/2021

(Arising out of impugned final judgment and order dated 06-02-2021 in ABA No. 84/2021 passed by the Special Judge, Anti Corruption, Cbi, Ghaziabad)

SHEFALI SHARMA

Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

CENTRAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Respondent(s)

(FOR ADMISSION and I.R. and IA No.130552/2021-EXEMPTION FROM FILING C/C OF THE IMPUGNED JUDGMENT and IA No.130553/2021-EXEMPTION FROM FILING O.T. )

WITH

SLP(Cr1) No. 7779/2021 (II)

(FOR ADMISSION and I.R. and IA No.131280/2021-EXEMPTION FROM FILING C/C OF THE IMPUGNED JUDGMENT and IA No.131281/2021-EXEMPTION FROM FILING O.T.)

SLP(Cr1) No. 7808/2021 (II)

SLP(Cr1) No. 7785/2021 (II)

(FOR ADMISSION and I.R. and IA No.131319/2021-EXEMPTION FROM FILING C/C OF THE IMPUGNED JUDGMENT and IA No.131320/2021-EXEMPTION FROM FILING O.T.)

Date : 08-10-2021 These petitions were called on for hearing today.

CORAM :

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SANJAY KISHAN KAUL  
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE M.M. SUNDRESH

For Petitioner(s)      Mr. Abhimanyu Bhandari, Adv.  
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For Respondent(s)

UPON hearing the counsel the Court made the following  
O R D E R

Learned counsel for the petitioners states that they are

identically situated as the petitioners in SLP [Cr1.] Nos.6726-6733/2021 inasmuch as they cooperated during the investigation and were never arrested. The proceedings are arising out of the same charge sheet and similar to that case on account of the petitioners not appearing before the trial Court, process has been initiated under Section 82, Cr.P.C. The applications of the petitioners are stated to be pending consideration before the High Court.

We are, thus, inclined to pass the same order as in those petitions.

The petitioners are thus, granted interim protection against arrest till the next date of hearing before the trial Court, i.e 19.10.2021 and stay of the operation of the orders dated 03.08.2021 and 27.08.2021 directing process under Section 82, Cr.P.C. for the petitioners to appear before the trial Court on the next date when they will be dealt with in accordance with the pronouncement of this Court in the case of *Sidharth Vs. State of Uttar Pradesh* (Criminal Appeal No.838 of 2021 dated 16.08.2021).

The Special Leave Petitions stand disposed of accordingly.

Pending applications stand disposed of.

The High Court matters from which the SLPs arise will also stand disposed of.

(ASHA SUNDRIYAL)  
ASTT. REGISTRAR-cum-PS

(POONAM VAID)  
COURT MASTER (NSH)