



passed by the High Court.

The special leave petition is, accordingly, dismissed.

Pending application(s), if any, also stand disposed of.

SLP(C) No. 8463/2018:

We do not find any ground to interfere with the order passed by the High Court.

Learned counsel for the petitioner states that a sum of Rs.30,00,000/- was deposited before the High Court without prejudice to petitioner's rights. Since we have not found any merit in the present special leave petition, the High Court shall refund the amount of Rs.30,00,000/- with accrued interest, if any, to the petitioner within six weeks.

The special leave petition is dismissed in above terms.

Pending application(s), if any, also stand disposed of.

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