

ITEM NO.21

COURT NO.6

SECTION II-B

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

Petition for Special Leave to Appeal (Cr1.) No.11738/2019

(Arising out of impugned final judgment and order dated 16-10-2019 in CRLA No.889/2006 passed by the High Court Of Kerala At Ernakulam)

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Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

STATE OF KERALA

Respondent(s)

(FOR ADMISSION and I.R.; and, IA No.190045/2019 - FOR EXEMPTION FROM FILING O.T.)

Date : 02-03-2020 This petition was called on for hearing today.

CORAM :

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE UDAY UMESH LALIT

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE VINEET SARAN

For Petitioner(s) Mr. Aljo K. Joseph, AOR
Ms. Shelnak, Adv.

For Respondent(s) Mr. C. K. Sasi, AOR
Mr. Abdulla Naseeh, Adv.
Ms. Somya Gupta, Adv.

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

On 07.01.2020, following order was passed by this Court:

"Subject to the petitioner depositing a sum of Rs.1 lakh in the Registry of this Court within six weeks from today, let notice be issued to the State.

Liberty is granted to serve the learned Standing Counsel for the State.

List the matter for further consideration on 02.03.2020.

Pending further consideration, the petitioner shall continue to have the benefit of order dated 16.12.2019 passed by the learned Chamber Judge of this Court granting exemption from surrendering."

However, the amount as directed has not yet been deposited in the Registry of this Court.

By way of last opportunity, we grant four weeks' time to the petitioner to deposit the sum as indicated above. If the petitioner fails to deposit the sum, this special leave petition shall stand dismissed, without further reference to this Court.

Needless to mention that upon such dismissal of the special leave petition, the protection granted to the petitioner by the learned Chamber Judge by his order dated 16.12.2019 shall also come to an end.

List the matter on 13.04.2020 for compliance.

(MUKESH NASA)
COURT MASTER

(PRADEEP KUMAR)
BRANCH OFFICER