

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF INDIA
CRIMINAL APPELLATE JURISDICTION

CRIMINAL APPEAL NOS.752-753 OF 2020
(Arising out of S.L.P.(Criminal) Nos.1554-1555 of 2020)

KULDEEP KUMAR YADAV & ANR. ETC. ... APPELLANT(S)

VS.

THE STATE OF RAJASTHAN & ANR. ... RESPONDENT(S)

O R D E R

Leave granted.

We have heard learned counsel for parties.

In terms of order dated 19th February, 2020, a restraint order was passed by this Court against arrest of the appellants. We may notice that it is the plea of the appellants that the criminal case is really a ramification of the civil dispute.

Be that as it may, we asked the learned counsel for the State as to the stage of investigation and filing of the charge sheet. It appears that despite eleven months having elapsed, the investigation is still not complete and charge sheet not filed. There is no allegation of non-cooperation on part of the appellants.

In view of the aforesaid, we direct that till the charge sheet is filed, the appellants will not be arrested but will cooperate with the investigation. Dependent on the fate of the charge sheet, it is open for

the appellants, if arrayed as accused, to apply for regular bail and till such regular bail application is decided, the interim protection would continue to enure for the benefit of the appellants.

The appeals are accordingly disposed of.

.....J.
[SANJAY KISHAN KAUL]

.....J.
[DINESH MAHESHWARI]

New Delhi;
November 16, 2020.

ITEM NO.23

Court 8 (Video Conferencing)

SECTION II

S U P R E M E C O U R T O F I N D I A
R E C O R D O F P R O C E E D I N G S

Petition(s) for Special Leave to Appeal (CrI.) Nos.1554-1555/2020

(Arising out of impugned final judgment and order dated 31-01-2020 in SBCRMBA Nos.1389/2020 and 1390/2020 passed by the High Court of Judicature for Rajasthan, Bench at Jaipur)

KULDEEP KUMAR YADAV & ANR.

Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

THE STATE OF RAJASTHAN & ANR.
(FOR ADMISSION and I.R.

Respondent(s)

IA No. 99175/2020 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING O.T.

IA No. 69717/2020 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING O.T.

IA No. 99173/2020 - PERMISSION TO FILE ADDITIONAL DOCUMENTS/FACTS/ANNEXURES)

Date : 16-11-2020 These matters were called on for hearing today.

CORAM :

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SANJAY KISHAN KAUL

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE DINESH MAHESHWARI

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

Leave granted.

The appeals are disposed of in terms of the signed order.

Pending applications shall also stand disposed of.

(ANITA MALHOTRA)
COURT MASTER

(ANITA RANI AHUJA)
ASSISTANT REGISTRAR

(Signed order is placed on the file.)