COURT NO.7

SECTION XI

SUPREME COURT OF INDIA RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS

SPECIAL LEAVE PETITION (CIVIL) Diary No. 17014/2023

(Arising out of impugned final judgment and order dated 06-01-2023 in PIL No. 576/2020 passed by the High Court Of Judicature At Allahabad)

LOTUS VALLEY INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL

Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

STATE OF UTTAR PRADESH & ORS.

Respondent(s)

(IA NO. 86744/2023 - CONDONATION OF DELAY IN FILING, IA NO. 86748/2023 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING C/C OF THE IMPUGNED JUDGMENT, IA NO. 86751/2023 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING O.T., IA NO. 86752/2023 -PERMISSION TO FILE ADDITIONAL DOCUMENTS/FACTS/ANNEXURES and IA NO. 86746/2023 - PERMISSION TO FILE PETITION (SLP/TP/WP/..))

Date : 04-05-2023 This matter was called on for hearing today.

CORAM :

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SANJIV KHANNA HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE M.M. SUNDRESH

For Petitioner(s)

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

Permission to file the special leave petition is granted. Delay condoned.

Issue notice, returnable in August 2023.

Notice will be issued by all modes, including dasti.

The petitioner will file an affidavit enclosing therewith a copy of their balance sheets and profit and loss account for the last four years, that is, for the period between 01.04.2018 till 31.03.2022. In the affidavit, they will also indicate the salary paid to the teachers and staff, and whether there was any reduction in the salary paid to them. The affidavit will also indicate whether the day-to-day running/operational expenses had come down during the period 01.04.2020 till 31.03.2021, with reference to the period before and after this period. The affidavit will be filed within six weeks from today.

There will be a stay of operation of the impugned judgment to the extent it directs refund of the fee paid to ex-students, till the next date of hearing.

(DEEPAK GUGLANI) AR-cum-PS (R.S. NARAYANAN) COURT MASTER (NSH)