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* **IN THE HIGH COURT OF DELHI AT NEW DELHI**
+ RFA 264/2021

STATE BANK OF INDIA Appellant
Through: Mr. Rajiv Kapur and Mr.
Akshit Kapur, Advocates.
versus
MS SARLA GUPTA & ORS Respondents
Through: Mr. R. Menon, Advocate.

CORAM:
HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE JYOTI SINGH

ORDER
05.04.2023

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1. Time is sought by the learned counsel for the parties for filing written submissions. Let the needful be done before the next date of hearing.
2. Leaned counsel appearing on behalf of Respondent draws attention of the Court to an order dated 20.07.2021 whereby the Court had directed the Appellant to deposit the employee's share of Provident Fund and the Gratuity, within six weeks, subject to which the operation of the impugned judgment and decree dated 12.01.2021 was stayed and submits that during the trial before the Trial Court, the stand of the bank was that they are unaware of the Rules governing the grant of gratuity and even the service record of Respondent was not available and therefore, a direction be issued to Appellant to file an affidavit disclosing the Rule position as well as the calculation on the basis of which the amount has been deposited in this Court.



3. Let an affidavit be filed by Appellant within four weeks from today disclosing the Rule position governing the grant of gratuity as well as calculations supporting the amount so deposited.
4. Response, if any, to the affidavit be filed by Respondent before the next date of hearing.
5. Interim order as passed on 20.07.2021 shall continue, till the next date of hearing.
6. List on 26.05.2023.

JYOTI SINGH, J

APRIL 05, 2023/pkv