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IN THE HIGH COURT OF KERALA AT ERNAKULAM

PRESENT

THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE C.S.DIAS

TUESDAY, THE 8TH DAY OF APRIL 2025 / 18TH CHAITHRA, 1947

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PETITIONER:

MIHRAJ SUBAIR
AGED 24 YEARS
S/O P A SUBAIR, SUBAIR MANZIL, NEAR KANJIRATHINGAL
TEMPLE, ERAMALLOOR, EZHUPUNNA ED, ALAPPUZHA,
KERALA, PIN - 688537

BY ADVS.
VISWANATH SALISH
SANDRA PAUL
NIDHA SHERIN

RESPONDENT:

CANARA BANK LIMITED
REPRESENTED BY ITS BRANCH MANAGER, NO.628/4, 1ST
STAGE, INDIRANAGAR, BANGLORE, PIN - 560038

SC SRI GOPIKRISHNAN NAMBIAR

THIS WRIT PETITION (CIVIL) HAVING COME UP FOR ADMISSION
ON 08.04.2025, THE COURT ON THE SAME DAY DELIVERED THE
FOLLOWING:



JUDGMENT

Dated this the 8th day of April, 2025

The writ petition is filed to direct the respondent bank to lift the freezing of the petitioner's bank account bearing No.110208627308.

2. The petitioner contends that his bank account has been frozen by the respondent bank without any reason. The action of the respondent is arbitrary and illegal. Hence, this writ petition.

3. Heard; the learned counsel appearing for the petitioner and the learned counsel appearing for the respondent bank.

4. The learned counsel for the respondent bank submitted that, the petitioner is working in Bangalore, the branch of the respondent bank is situated in Bangalore and the requisition authority is from Gujarat. No part of the cause of action has arisen within the State of Kerala. Therefore, this Court does not have a territorial



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jurisdiction to entertain this writ petition.

In light of the above submission, and taking into account that no part of the cause of action has arisen in Kerala, I dismiss the writ petition, without prejudice to the right of the petitioner to workout his remedies in accordance with law.

SD/-

C.S.DIAS, JUDGE

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APPENDIX OF WP(C) 8605/2025

PETITIONER EXHIBITS

Exhibit P1 THE TRUE COPY OF THE REQUEST LETTER DATED
08.02.2025 SENT BY THE PETITIONER TO THE
RESPONDENT BANK

Exhibit P2 THE TRUE COPY OF THE JUDGMENT PASSED BY
THIS HONOURABLE COURT IN WP(C) 12960 OF
2023