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Miscellaneous Application Nos. 1549-1551/2025 in C.A. Nos. 6359-6361/2025

[Arising out of impugned judgment and order dated 01-05-2025 in C.A. No. 6359/2025 01-05-2025 in C.A. No. 6360/2025 01-05-2025 in C.A. No. 6361/2025 passed by the Supreme Court of India]

PRADIP KUMAR GANERIWALA

Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

M/S. EXCHANGE & ORS.

Respondent(s)

(IA No. 194061/2025 - APPROPRIATE ORDERS/DIRECTIONS)

WITH

ITEM NO. 40

Petition(s) for Special Leave to Appeal (C) No(s). 25808/2025

Date : 26-09-2025 This matter was called on for hearing today.

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SURYA KANT
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JOYMALYA BAGCHIFor Petitioner(s) : Mr. Rajeev Kumar Jain, Adv.
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UPON hearing the counsel the Court made the following

O R D E R

1. On the suggestion made by the parties through learned counsel, Justice Bhaskar Bhattacharya, former Chief Justice of the Gujarat High Court, who is currently residing at Kolkata, is requested to act as a Mediator between the parties. The honorarium, secretarial assistance charges and other miscellaneous charges may be determined by Justice Bhaskar Bhattacharya in consultation with counsel for the parties. The parties may bear the expenses proportionately as they may be advised by the learned Mediator. In the event of any difficulty being experienced in this regard, counsel for the parties may move an appropriate application before this Court.

2. Both sides after exchange of notes, have given list of 13 disputes/cases/matters pending between them. The list is annexed herewith and marked as Annexure A. The learned Mediator is requested to make an endeavour to resolve all the 13 disputes, in the manner he may deem appropriate.

3. The parties and their learned counsel have agreed to extend full cooperation to the learned Mediator.

4. We request Justice Bhaskar Bhattacharya not to recuse in the matters merely because one of the impugned orders before us has

been passed by a Hon'ble Judge, who is a relative of Justice Bhaskar Bhattacharya. We say so for the reason that the task entrusted to Justice Bhaskar Bhattacharya is not for adjudication of disputes on merits but to persuade the parties to resolve their disputes amicably under the aegis of Mediation.

5. During pendency of mediation proceedings, the parties have agreed not to proceed with the pending Court cases and they will continue to seek adjournments till the mediation reaches a logical conclusion. Similarly, the investigation in the criminal cases registered against any of the parties shall be kept in abeyance so as to enable the parties to amicably settle the dispute.

6. Wherever in the pending court proceedings, any time limit is expired for completion of pleadings etc., such time limit shall also remain in abeyance and will revive, if so required, after the conclusion of mediation proceedings. On the same analogy, the period of limitation shall also be extended in the matters where appeals are proposed to be filed by the parties.

7. Post these matters for adjudication after receipt of mediation report.

8. In view of the fact that respondent(s) and their counsel, Mr. C.K. Deora tendered unconditional apology, the contempt proceedings are also closed and disposed of.

(NITIN TALREJA)
ASTT. REGISTRAR-cum-PS

(PREETHI T.C.)
ASSISTANT REGISTRAR