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Petition(s) for Special Leave to Appeal (C) No(s). 6399-6400/2021

(Arising out of impugned final judgment and order dated 23-02-2021 in WP No. 41646/2019 & in WP No. 9626/2020 passed by the High Court of Karnataka at Bengaluru)

MANEESH AGNIHOTRI

Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

EMPLOYEES PROVIDENT FUND ORGANIZATION & ANR.

Respondent(s)

(FOR ADMISSION )

Date : 05-05-2021 These petitions were called on for hearing today.

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE VINEET SARAN  
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE DINESH MAHESHWARI

For Petitioner(s) Mr. P.S. Patwalia, Sr. Adv.  
Mr. Kavin Gulati, Sr. Adv.  
Mr. Malak Manish Bhatt, AOR  
Ms. Tanvi Dubey, Adv.  
Mr. Udbhav Nanda, Adv.

For Respondent(s)

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

Mr. P.S. Patwalia, learned senior counsel for the petitioner submits that the petitioner was a whistle blower at whose instance the FIRs were registered and proceedings have been initiated. The specific contention of the learned senior counsel for the petitioner is that the letter of the petitioner intimating about the scam was dated 18.08.2005 and the FIR was registered on 08.11.2005 and the High Court has wrongly noted that the letter of the petitioner was subsequent to the registration of the FIR.

Issue notice, returnable in six weeks.

Till the next date of hearing, no coercive action shall be taken against the petitioner.

(ASHWANI KUMAR)  
ASTT. REGISTRAR-cum-PS

(R.S. NARAYANAN)  
COURT MASTER (NSH)