SUPREME COURT OF INDIA RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS

SPECIAL LEAVE PETITION (CIVIL) Diary No(s). 31866/2025

[Arising out of impugned final judgment and order dated 18-11-2024 in CWP Nos. 19104/2024 and 19806/2024 passed by the High Court of Punjab & Haryana at Chandigarh]

DEPUTY DIRECTOR & ANR. ETC.

Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

RAMESH KUMAR YADAV & ANR. ETC.

Respondent(s)

(IA No. 153623/2025 - CONDONATION OF DELAY IN FILING)

Date: 11-07-2025 These matters were called on for hearing today.

CORAM:

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJESH BINDAL HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE R. MAHADEVAN (PARTIAL COURT WORKING DAYS BENCH)

For Petitioner(s) :

Mr. Rupesh Kumar, Sr. Adv.

Mr. Manoj Kumar, Adv.

Mr. Gurmeet Singh Makker, AOR

For Respondent(s) :

Mr. Rajat Mittal, AOR Mr. Tarang Goyal, Adv.

UPON hearing the counsel the Court made the following
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Delay condoned.

Challenge in the present petitions is to an interim order passed by the High Court relying upon the judgment of the High Court in the case of *K.J.International v. State of Punjab* 2023 (12) Centax 106 (P&H). The main writ petition is still pending.

In view of the aforesaid fact, we do not find that any case is made out for interference with the impugned order. The Special Leave Petitions are accordingly dismissed.

Pending application, if any, also stands disposed of.

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CWP-19104-2024(O&M) and

CWP-19806-2024

M/S S S CON CAST PRIVATE LIMITED

VS.

UNION OF INDIA AND ORS

Present: Mr. Rishab Singla, Advocate

for the applicant-petitioner (in CWP-19806-2024)

Ms. Sneha Ghosh, Advocate

for the petitioner

(in CWP-19104-2024).

Ms. Sharmila Sharma, Senior Panel Counsel

for the respondents.

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Application for placing record the replication is allowed.

Replication is directed to be placed on record accordingly.

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Reply as well as rejoinder have been filed.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that while the High

Courts of Delhi, Gujarat and Telangana have held that there is no power

available with the respondents under Rule 86 (A) of the CGST Rules, 2017

(for short "the Act") to negatively block the electronic credit ledger whereas

the High Courts of Allahabad and Calcutta have held it otherwise.

Learned counsel for the petitioner has also invited attention

to the judgment passed by the Punjab and Haryana High Court in

'K.J. International Vs. State of Punjab' 2023 (12) Centax 106 (P&H), to

submit that the negative blocking of the input tax credit ledger beyond 10%

of the demand is unjustified. In other words, the Court has observed that the

account cannot be blocked beyond 10% of the penalty amount assessed as

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that is the condition of pre-deposit for filing of an appeal against the order passed under Section 73 and 74 of the Act.

The issue requires to be examined at length, however, at this stage, we allow the respondents to block 10% of the tentative amount of demanded tax, which may be assessed provisionally and unblock the ITC to that extent.

List on 10.12.2024.

A photocopy of this order be placed on the file of another connected case.

(SANJEEV PRAKASH SHARMA) JUDGE

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November 18, 2024 rashmi