ITEM NO.36 COURT NO.1 SECTION II-B

SUPREME COURT OF INDIA RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS

Petition(s) for Special Leave to Appeal (Crl.) No(s).8081/2023

(Arising out of impugned final judgment and order dated 30-06-2023 in CRLA No. 906/2023 passed by the High Court of Kerala at Ernakulam)

SHAJAN SKARIA Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

THE STATE OF KERALA & ANR.

Respondent(s)

(WITH IA No.126297/2023-EXEMPTION FROM FILING C/C OF THE IMPUGNED JUDGMENT and IA No.126298/2023-EXEMPTION FROM FILING O.T.)

Date: 10-07-2023 This petition was called on for hearing today.

CORAM:

HON'BLE THE CHIEF JUSTICE HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE PAMIDIGHANTAM SRI NARASIMHA

For Petitioner(s) Mr. Sidharth Luthra, Sr. Adv.

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Mr. Rahul Narang, Adv.

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Mr. Nishe Rajen Shonker, AOR

Mrs. Anu K. Joy, Adv.

Mr. Alim Anvar, Adv.

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

- 1 Issue notice, returnable in three weeks.
- 2 Mr V Giri, senior counsel, accepts notice on behalf of the *de facto* complainant with Mr R S Jena and Mr Ranjit Kumar, senior counsel, accepts notice on behalf of the State with Mr Nishe Rajen Shonker.
- Pending further orders, there shall be a stay of arrest of the petitioner in connection with FIR No 899 of 2023 dated 9 June 2023 registered at Elamakkara PS, Ernakulam City, Kerala.

(SANJAY KUMAR-I)
DEPUTY REGISTRAR

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