ITEM NO.13 Court 6 (Video Conferencing) SECTION II-B

SUPREME COURT OF INDIA RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS

Petition(s) for Special Leave to Appeal (Crl.) No(s). 52/2022

(Arising out of impugned final judgment and order dated 23-02-2021 in BA No. 997/2019 passed by the High Court Of Kerala At Ernakulam)

CENTRAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

VIKARAMAN & ORS.

Respondent(s)

(FOR ADMISSION and I.R. )

Date : 04-03-2022 This petition was called on for hearing today.

CORAM :

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SANJAY KISHAN KAUL HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE M.M. SUNDRESH

For Petitioner(s) Mr. Anmol Chandan, Adv. Mr. Ritwiz Rishabh, Adv. Mr. Bhuvan Kapoor, Adv. Mr. Arvind Kumar Sharma, AOR

For Respondent(s)

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

The granting bail order was passed on We have some grave reservations on the 23.02.2021. factual findings given the legal position in respect of granting bail but considering that the CBI itself has not brought up the matter before the Court for more than a year and no aggravating circumstances have been shown after the respondents were released in pursuance to the impugned order, we are not inclined to interfere in the matter while leaving the question of law open.

The special leave petition stands dismissed accordingly.

[CHARANJEET KAUR][POONAM VAID]ASTT. REGISTRAR-cum-PSCOURT MASTER (NSH)