

Court No. - 2

Case :- PUBLIC INTEREST LITIGATION (PIL) No. - 23409 of 2018

Petitioner :- Mamta Singh

Respondent :- State Of U.P. Thru. Prin. Secy. Home And Others

Counsel for Petitioner :- Brijesh Kumar Singh

Counsel for Respondent :- C.S.C.,Alok Kumar Singh,Dhruv Kumar Singh,Madhavam Sharma,Palash Banerjee,Ritwick Rai

Hon'ble Manoj Kumar Gupta,J.

Hon'ble Mrs. Jyotsna Sharma,J.

1. Matter taken up on mention made by learned counsel appearing on behalf of respondent no. 5. He submits that the controversy in the instant case is covered by the judgment of Supreme Court in **K.C. Cinema vs. State of Jammu & Kashmir and Others, (2023) 5 SCC 786**. Therein, the Supreme Court has considered the reasonableness of the restriction imposed by the Management of Movie Theaters in not permitting persons entering a movie theater to carry their own food and beverages. In paragraph 31 of the said judgment, the Supreme Court has observed that restricting entry of food and beverages into cinema halls is not unreasonable restriction.
2. The State respondents have filed a counter affidavit and they have also supported the restriction imposed in this behalf by the Management of the Cinema Hall Owners.
3. Since counsel for the petitioner is not present, therefore, in the interest of justice, no adverse order is being passed today.
4. List on 12.9.2023.
5. Learned counsel appearing on behalf of respondent no. 5 undertakes to inform learned counsel for the petitioner about the order passed today in writing.

(Jyotsna Sharma, J.) (Manoj Kumar Gupta, J.)

Order Date :- 6.9.2023

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