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May kindly see the letter, placed below at flag 'A', received from Km. Pragya Singh, Additional Civil Judge (Jr. Div.), Gorakhpur, by which she has informed the Court about getting a Santro Car as gift from her father & mother.

In her letter, Km. Pragya Singh has stated that her father & mother who both are in government service have gifted a Santro car no. UP-70-AZ-3777 to her out of love and affection on her selection in Nyayik Sewa. She is using the car to perform her official duties. She has submitted the same information for kind perusal of the Court.

In this connection, it is submitted that the officer is a newly appointed officer and has joined the judicial service on 12.05.2009. It is further submitted that the relevant rule relating to gift [Rule 11 of the U.P. Government Servant's Conduct (Amendment) Rules, 1998] runs as under: -

**11**. Gifts:- A government servant shall not without previous approval of Government:-

(a) Accept directly or indirectly on his own behalf or on behalf of any other persons, or

(b) Permit any member of his family who is dependent on him, to accept

Any gift, gratuity or reward from any person other than a close relative.

It is further submitted that the car has been gifted to the officer by her parents out of natural love and affection who are closest relative of the officer, there appears to be nothing objectionable as per rule referred to above. Here it has to be mentioned that the officer has not submitted any papers relating to the car i.e. its registration certificate, purchase details etc.

May, therefore, if approved, the file be laid before Hon'ble Mr. Justice M.I. Murtaza for His Lordship's kind perusal and information under Rule 11 of the U.P. Government Servant's Conduct (Amendment) Rules, 1998?

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