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May kindly see the letters, placed below at flags 'A' & 'A-1', received from Sri Kshitish Pandey, Additional Civil Judge (Junior Division)/Judicial Magistrate, Fatehpur by which he has informed the Court about taking Maruti Wagon R car as gift from his father-in-law.

In his letters, Sri Pandey has stated that his father-in-law Sri Prem Narayan Tripathi wish to gift his old Wagon R car, having registration no. U.P. 32 C H1333 to his younger son-in-law i.e. to the officer out of natural love & affection as well as keeping in view the post of the officer. He has also submitted the 'Consent Letter' sent by his father-in-law in this regard and other relevant papers, which may kindly be seen at flag 'B' & 'C'. He has, therefore, submitted the information to the Court for acceptance of the same.

In this connection, it is submitted that the relevant rule relating to gift i.e Rule 11 of U.P. Government Servant's Conduct Rules, 1956 is as follows: -

- 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.

In this connection, it is submitted that as the car has been gifted by the father-inlaw of the officer to him, who appears to be officer's close relative, there appears to be nothing objectionable, as per above mentioned rule. However, acceptance of the information, as submitted by the officer, is on discretion of the Court.

May, therefore, if approved, the file be laid before Hon'ble Mr. Justice Sanjay Misra for His Lordship's kind perusal and information under Rule 11 of U.P. Government Servant's Conduct Rules, 1956?

Senior Registrar (Judicial) (Budget)

Submitted for kind perusal and onward submission before Hon'ble Mr. Justice Sanjay Misra for His Lordship's kind perusal and orders.

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