

### Registrar (J)(Budget)

May kindly see the online letter 09.01.2020 received from Smt. Reema Malhotra, Addl. District and Sessions Judge/FTC, Etah regarding submission of statements of movable and immovable properties for the financial years 2017-18 and 2018-19 proforma to this Court for kind perusal and information as required by the Court.

Earlier the officer had submitted her movable and immovable property statements for the financial years 2017-18 and 2018-19. On perusing the property statements for the financial years 2017-18 and 2018-19, it has been found that her income from salary were Rs.7,01,898/- in the financial year 2017-18 and Rs.23,47,515/- in the financial year 2018-19. Hence the enhancement of salary was Rs. 16,45,617/- in financial year 2018-19 against the previous year salary. So an objection dated 20.01.2020 was raised to clarify the enhancement in salary in the F.Y. 2018-19. So, in reply to this objection, the officer has submitted her clarification which is placed below in verbatim :

*“With due respect, I wish to state that the reason for difference in the salary of the year 2017-2018 and 2018-2019, is due to the period of six months of maternity leave which I had undergone in the year 2017-2018. In the financial year 2017-2018 I had received only Six months Salary. Resulting which, the salary of the period of maternity leave had been received in the year 2018-2019. Along with this salary of six months, I had also received the arrear amount of around more than 3 Lacs Rupees. Therefore, the difference between the salary of the year 2017-2018 and 2018-2019 is Rs. 16,45,617/-”.*

In this connection, it is submitted that as per statements of movable and immovable properties for the financial years 2017-18 and 2018-19 of the Officer concerned, details of income, deductions, savings, investment and expenditure made by her are given below.

1. In the financial year 2017-18, her gross income from salary and other sources is Rs. 8,20,130/- (Rs. 7,01,898/- from salary and Rs. 1,18,232/- from S.B. A/c interest) and total deductions/Savings/investments against NPS, GIS, Income Tax, PPF and LIC is Rs. 3,92,134/-. Thus a sum of Rs. 4,27,996/- was therefore available with her to meet out the household expenditure of her family consisting of five members in the financial year 2017- 18. The balance of Rs. 1,22,801/- has decreased from her saving bank a/cs against the balance of the previous year.
2. In the financial year 2018-19, her gross income from salary and other sources is Rs. 24,83,144/- (Rs.23,47,515/- from salary and Rs.

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1,35,629/- from S.B. A/c interest) and total deductions/Savings/investments against NPS, GIS, Income Tax, PPF, Kerala CM Relief Fund and LIC is Rs. 22,09,590/- (including enhancement of balance of Rs. 13,73,496/- in her saving bank A/c against the balance of the previous year). Thus a sum of Rs. 2,73,554/- was therefore available with her to meet out the household expenditure of her family consisting of five members in the financial year 2018-19.

It is pertinent to mention that husband of the officer, Sri Ritesh Sachdeva is Class-1, Gazetted Officer whose annual income are Rs. 12.20 Lacs in 2017-18 and Rs. 17.64 Lacs in 2018-19.

In this connection it is submitted that Smt. Malhotra has already submitted her property statements held at the time of entering Judicial Services which has already been seen by Hon'ble Mr. Justice Surendra Singh, the then Administrative Judge, Farrukhabad in the miscellaneous file of the Officer. For the preceding financial years, she has submitted her property statements for the financial years 2009-10, 2010-11, 2011-12, 2012-13, 2013-14, 2014-15, 2015-16 and 2016-17 which have been processed presently online and separate office notes have already been submitted for orders on separate case id nos. 526, 527 and 530.

The movable and immovable property statement for the financial years 2017-18 and 2018-19 have been submitted by the Officer vide her online case id no. 534 dated 09.01.2020 which was due to be submitted upto the end of the financial year 2019-20. As such, there is no delay in submitting the property statements from the part of the officer.

May, if approved, the movable and immovable property statements for the financial years 2017-18 and 2018-19 of Smt. Reema Malhotra, Addl. District and Sessions Judge/FTC, Etah be laid before Hon'ble Mr. Justice B. Amit Sthalekar, Administrative Judge, Etah Judgeship for His Lordship's kind perusal and orders?

Neeraj Kumar, ARO

Dated 25.01.2020

Md. Arshad

Assistant Registrar

Dated 25.01.2020

**Hon'ble Mr. Justice B. Amit Sthalekar,**

**Administrative Judge, Etah**

Submitted for kind perusal & order

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27.01.2020