## <u>I/c Joint Registrar (J) (Budget)</u>

May kindly see the online application of Sri Shashank Gupta, Judicial Magistrate, Gautambuddha Nagar regarding grant of permission for submission of his Ph.D. thesis, on the topic of "War Crimes- An Analytical Study with reference to International Criminal Court" under supervision of Dr. Javaid Talib, Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh.

In his application, Sri Shashank Gupta has stated that he was pursuing Ph.d. from Faculty of law, Aligarh Muslim University before joining the services and was enrolled in year 2014 and had completed his minimum residential period and course work and due to some unforeseen circumstances he wasn't able to submit his research work/thesis and now wants to submit the same . Thereafter, through online objections, the officer was asked to intimate about the topic of his Ph.D. Course, name of his guide and status of taking study leave and status of his Ph.D. study. In reply, the officer has stated that under the guidance of Dr. Javaid Talib , he is pursuing Ph.D. on the topic "War Crimes- An Analytical Study with reference to International Criminal Court" from Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh. He has further stated that he has also completed his compulsory residential period of 2 years required and has been declared as ex-Student by the university vide office order dated 08.10.2018 (copy of order can be seen as attachment) and now only thesis submission is left and he would not take study leave or any special leave for submitting his thesis/Research work. He has also enclosed his admission card, which can be seen as attachments. He has, therefore, requested to Hon'ble Court to grant him permission for submission of his Ph.D. thesis to Aligarh Muslim University.

In this connection, it is stated that the officer has joined the U.P. Judicial Service on 14.06.2018. There is circular letter dated 4.11.11, which provides that if any Judicial Officer during the course of his Service, requests to pursue higher studies, he has to apply for grant of 'Study Leave' as per rules which will be subject to the discretion of Hon'ble the Chief Justice. In the instant case, as the officer has stated that he has already completed his course work prior to his joining and now only thesis submission is left, thus no study leave is required to him. Now, It is on the discretion of the Hon'ble Court either to grant permission to the officer for submission of Ph.D. thesis or to pass any such order which deems to be proper.

May, therefore, if approved, the instant matter may be laid before Hon'ble Mr. Justice Pritinker Diwaker, Senior Judge (J-1) for His Lordship's kind perusal and if His Lordship approves:-

A) Sri Shashank Gupta, Judicial Magistrate, Gautambuddha Nagar be granted permission for submission of Ph.D. thesis, on the topic of "War Crimes- An Analytical Study with reference to International Criminal Court" under supervision of Dr. Javaid Talib, Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh, as requested.

Or

B) To pass any other order which His Lordship deem fit and proper .

Archana Awasthi Review Officer

## Hon'ble Mr. Justice Pritinker Diwaker,

## <u>Senior Judge (J-1)</u>

Submitted for kind perusal & order

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