

## **I/c Joint Registrar (Judicial) (Budget)**

May kindly see the online application of Sri Syed Sarwar Husain Rizvi, Principal Judge, Family Court, Rampur regarding grant of permission to visit Saudi Arabia to visit " KABA" at Mecca tentatively from 01.12.2022 to 08.12.2022.

In his application, Sri Syed Sarwar Husain Rizvi has stated that he has to go to Saudi Arab to visit "KABA" at Mecca in the last Week of November 2022 or in the month of December 2022 onwards depending upon the issuance of VISA for a period of about 10 days and the expenses to be incurred for the above visit is around Rs.1,00,000/-. He has also submitted the following declaration:-

1. That by his abroad visit no dilemma is likely to create before Government of India or Government of U.P.
2. That such type of request for abroad visit has not been refused earlier.
3. That he has never visited any foreign country earlier. Moreover, he has further submitted that earlier permission for visiting Iraq was accorded to him by Hon'ble Court in the month of May 2022, but he could not visit due to domestic issues.

Thereafter, the officer through online objection, was asked to intimate the actual date of departure and return and also be asked to submit his status regarding his visit as the earlier proposed duration does not falls during vacations. In reply, the officer has stated that actually his only son Mohammad has expired and he recently dreamt that his son is in 'KABA' Mecca asking the officer to meet him there, hence he wants to visit 'KABA' as soon as possible. He has also added that this is purely a religious trip for which he has planned to depart on 01.12.2022 and to return on 08.12.2022 (tentatively) depending upon the issuance of VISA. He has also enclosed copy of his passport and copy of passbook, which can be seen as attachments. He, has therefore requested to Hon'ble Court to grant him permission for the aforesaid visit.

In this connection, it is submitted that grant of permission to visit abroad is considered in accordance to the G.O.1/3/98-Ka-Prasko/1999 dated 14 June 1999 and in accordance with Hon'ble High Court's Circular Letter No. 16/ IV-f-101/ Admin (A)/ dated 27.05.2017. As per reports, no vigilance/ departmental enquiry is pending against Sri Syed Sarwar Husain Rizvi. It is pertinent to mention here that the duration of his visit is tentatively from 01.12.2022 to 08.12.2022 i.e. about 08 days, which includes all working days of the Hon'ble Court except Sunday holiday but as the officer has stated that he wants to visit Saudi Arabia to visit 'KABA' at Mecca there as he has dreamt that his demised son is calling him from there, thus this religious trip appears to be essential for the emotional and mental healing of the officer. As per the point no. (1) of Hon'ble High Court's Circular Letter No. 16/ IV-f-101/ Admin (A)/ dated 27.05.2017, Abroad tour by any officer shall not be availed of during working days of the Hon'ble Court or during the period of suspension/departmental proceedings, except in case of medical treatment of himself/ herself, spouse or dependent, or in special circumstances, and tours which are sponsored and/ or approved by the State/ Central Government during certain fixed span of time and does not fall during vacation. In these eventualities the Judicial officers shall seek permission before applying for VISA. In the instant case the officer has stated that he wants to visit foreign country (Saudi Arabia) for visiting KABA there tentatively from 01.12.2022 to 08.12.2022. Now its upto the discretion of Hon'ble The Chief Justice and Hon'ble Administrative Judge, Rampur either as a special case, to grant him permission to visit Saudi Arabia for visiting 'KABA' there for the aforesaid period or to pass any other order. In this connection. It is also submitted that in the Hon'ble High Court's Circular Letter dated 27.05.2017, it has been settled that for the purpose of grant of such permission the competent authority for the judicial officers is Hon'ble the Administrative Judge of the District concerned, for the Judicial officers posted in judgeship or on the District of any deputation post, subject to approval by Hon'ble the Chief Justice or any member of the Administrative Committee authorised by the Hon'ble the Chief Justice. Vide subsequent order dated 19.10.2020, Hon'ble the Chief Justice has been pleased to nominate Hon'ble Mr. Justice Pritinker Diwaker, to consider request of permission of the Judicial Officers to visit abroad in his place.

May, therefore, if approved, the instant matter may be laid before Hon'ble Mr. Justice Deepak Verma, Administrative Judge, Rampur for kind perusal and if His Lordship approves, as a special case, Sri Syed Sarwar Husain Rizvi, Principal Judge, Family Court, Rampur may be granted permission to visit Saudi Arabia to visit 'KABA' at Mecca there from 01.12.2022 to 08.12.2022, as requested, subject to approval by Hon'ble Mr. Justice Pritinker Diwaker, Senior Judge (J-1), as per Hon'ble High Court's Circular Letter No. 16/ IV-f-101/ Admin (A)/ dated 27.05.2017 and order dated 19.10.2020 of Hon'ble the Chief Justice, as mentioned above with the condition that he will intimate actual dates of departure and return to India and also that proper charge of Government records or cash, if any, or any government property with him, may be handed over by him before proceeding abroad?

Or

To pass any other order, which His Lordship deems fit and proper.

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18.11.2022

**Hon'ble Mr. Justice Deepak Verma,**

**Administrative Judge, Rampur**

Submitted for kind perusal and orders?

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