<u>I/c Joint Registrar (Judicial) (Budget)</u>

May kindly see the online application of Smt. Shubhi Agarwal, Civil Judge (Junior Division), Pilibhit regarding grant of permission to visit Indonasia (Ubud and Nusa Dua) alongwith her husband Sri Satyam Singhal who is also a judicial officer during summer vacation from 10.06.2023 to 16.06.2023.

In her application, Smt. Shubhi Agarwal has stated that she wants to go on holiday to foreign i.e. Indonesia(Ubud and Nusa Dua) in summer vacation i.e. from 10.06.2023 to 16.06.2023 along with her husband who is also a judicial officer (officer code UP 3375). She has also stated that she has never been visit to any foreign country since her date of joining and also has a valid Passport No. P8874774; valid till 2nd April 2027 and added that the expenses of the proposed foreign trip would be borne by the officer and her husband respectively. She has further stated that the Proposed expenses of the foreign travel as suggested by the travel agent is Rs.1,49,500 per person and also enclosed the copy of passport and copy of her Savings Account passbook showing balance amount of Rs 8,26,958.92/- and copy of her husband Saving Account passbook showing balance amount of Rs 6,10,384.90/-, which can be seen as attachments. She has also submitted the following declarations:-

1. That by her abroad visit, no dilemma is likely to create before the Government of India or before Government of Uttar Pradesh.

2. That such type of request for abroad visit was not refused to her earlier.

3. That she has never visited any foreign country, before or after her date of joining.

She has, therefore, requested to place her application before the Hon'ble High Court for grant of 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 Smt. Shubhi Agarwal. It is pertinent to mention here that the duration of her visit i.e. from 10.06.2023 to 16.06.2023 completely falls during the summer vacation. 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 is going to a pleasure trip to Indonesia(Ubud and Nusa Dua) in summer vacation i.e. from 10.06.2023 to 16.06.2023 alongwith her husband, who is also a Judicial Officer, her request appears to be considerable. Now its upto the discretion of Hon'ble The Chief Justice and Hon'ble Administrative Judge, Pilibhit either to grant her permission to visit Indonesia (Ubud and Nusa Dua) in summer vacation i.e. from 10.06.2023 to 16.06.2023 alongwith her husband or to pass any other order. Here, it is also pertinent to mention that her husband Sri Satyam Singhal has also separately applied for the same permission, which has also been processed on a separate e-service Id. 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. Recently, vide order dated 23.04.2023 regarding reconstitution of different Committees, Hon'ble The Chief Justice has been pleased to form a single Hon'ble Judge Committee i.e. Hon'ble Senior Judge (J-1) to deal with the matter of grant of permission to Judicial Officers to visit abroad.

May, therefore, if approved, the instant matter may be laid before Hon'ble Mr. Justice Sanjay Kumar Pachori, Administrative Judge, Pilibhit for kind perusal and if His Lordship approves, Smt. Shubhi Agarwal, Civil Judge (Junior Division), Pilibhit may be granted permission to visit Indonesia(Ubud and Nusa Dua) along with her husband Sri Satyam Singhal, also a Judicial Officer during summer vacation i.e. from 10.06.2023 to 16.06.2023, for tourism purpose, as requested, subject to approval by Hon'ble Mrs. Justice Sunita Agarwal, 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 23.04.2023 of Hon'ble the Chief Justice, as mentioned above with the condition 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/ Her Lordship deems fit and proper.

Archana Awasthi, Review Officer Munmun Narang, Section Officer Meetu Verma, Assistant Registrar Admin A-IV

Hon'ble Mr. Justice Sanjay Kumar Pachori,

Administrative Judge, Pilibhit

Submitted for kind perusal & orders? Registrar(Judicial)(Budget) 10.05.23