

### **Registrar (Judicial) (Budget)**

May kindly see the online application of Sri Shubham Verma, Addl. Civil Judge (Senior Division)/ ACJM, Ghaziabad regarding grant of permission to visit Kathmandu (Nepal) for darshan of Lord Pashupati Nath temple there along with his parents from 13.06.2023 to 17.06.2023.

In his application, Sri Shubham Verma has stated that during the period of summer vacation/ recess i.e. from 12.06.2023 to 21.06.2023, he wants to visit Kathmandu (Nepal) for darshan of Lord Pashupati Nath temple alongwith his parents, for three to four days i.e. from 13.06.2023 to 17.06.2023. He has also submitted following declaration/ information relating to his visit, which are as follows:-

1. There will be no possibility of arising any such dilemma due to his proposed visit to Nepal.
2. No such request was ever applied by him neither refused by Hon'ble Court.
3. He has not visited any foreign country earlier.
4. Estimated expenditure of this visit would be approx. Rs. 30,000/- which would be borne from the salary account of the officer.

He has, therefore requested for grant of permission to visit Kathmandu (Nepal) along with his parents from 13.06.2023 to 17.06.2023.

In this connection, it is submitted that 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 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. Now, as in the instant case the officer wants to go on a religious tour to Kathmandu (Nepal) for darshan of Lord Pasupati Nath there alongwith his parents during summer vacation/ recess from 13.06.2023 to 17.06.2023, his request appears to be considerable. It is also submitted that as per the reports, placed below, no departmental/ vigilance enquiry is pending against Sri Shubham Verma. Now, It is on the discretion of the Hon'ble High Court either to grant him permission or to pass any such order which deems to be proper

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. 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 Saumitra Dayal Singh, Administrative Judge, Ghaziabad for kind perusal and if His Lordship approves, Sri Shubham Verma, Addl. Civil Judge (Senior Division)/ ACJM, Ghaziabad may be granted permission to visit Kathmandu (Nepal) for darshan of Lord Pashupath Nath temple there alongwith his parents from 13.06.2023 to 17.06.2023, 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 conditions that he will enter Nepal territory through some custom check-post and get his luggage cleared by Custom Authorities and 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.

Archana Awasthi  
Review Officer  
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Section Officer  
Meetu Verma  
Assistant Registrar  
Admin (A-IV)

**Hon'ble Mr. Justice Saumitra Dayal Singh,**  
**Administrative Judge, Ghaziabad**

Submitted for kind perusal & orders?  
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