## <u>Registrar (Judicial) (Budget)</u>

May kindly see the online application of Sushri Ankita Singh-I, Addl. Civil Judge (Senior Division)/ ACJM, Gonda regarding grant of permission to visit South east Asian countries (Indonesia and Singapore) from 21.06.2024 to 30.06.2024.

In her application, Sushri Amkita Singh-I has stated that she wants to visit south east Asian countries (Indonesia and Singapore) with her husband (Sri Anshul Singh Chauhan) from 21.06.2024 to 30.06.2024 and added that Indonesia is a country which requires Visa on arrival whereas Singapore requires e-visa. She has also stated that total expenditure of this trip is approx. Rs 2,40,000/- and also enclosed the copy of her bank statement (can be seen as attachment) wherein balance amount is of Rs. 36,64,017/- (Approx Rs 22,00,000/- stated to be received as arrear on 31st March 2024). She has further stated that the ticket from Lucknow to Singapore has been booked in anticipation of permission (copies of the same can also be seen attachment) and submitted the following declaration:-

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 it is her first International visit.

4. Copy of passport can also be seen as attachment.

She has, therefore, requested to grant her permission to visit Indonesia and Singapore for the aforesaid duration.

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, provided by concerned sections, no vigilance/ departmental enquiry is pending against Sushri Ankita SIngh-I. 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, in the instant case the officer is going to visit Indonesia and Singapore alongwith her husband during summer vacation (recess) 2024 i.e. from 21.06.2024 to 30.06.2024 which includes non working days of the Hon'ble Court, this trip appears to be a pleasure trip which falls during non working days of the Court. However, it is on the discretion of the Hon'ble High Court either to grant her permission or to pass any 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 Hon'ble The Chief Justice. Hon'ble The Acting Chief Justice has been pleased to change the single Judge Committee appearing at sl. no. 3 of the list of Committees dated 23.04.2023- last modified on 29.08.2023, and Hon'ble Mr. Justice Anjani Kumar Mishra is nominated in the said Committee, to deal with the matters relating to grant of permission to Judicial Officers to visit abroad.

May, therefore, if approved, the instant matter may be laid before Hon'ble Mr. Justice Siddharth, Administrative Judge, Gonda for kind perusal and if His Lordship approves, Sushri Ankita Singh-I, Addl. Civil Judge (Senior Division)/ ACJM, Gonda may be granted permission to visit Indonesia and Singapore from 21.06.2024 to 30.06.2024 alongwith her husband, as requested, subject to approval by single Judge Committee of Hon'ble Mr. Justice Anjani Kumar Mishra, as per Hon'ble High Court's Circular Letter No. 16/ IV-f-101/ Admin (A)/ dated 27.05.2017 and order dated 30.11.2023 of Hon'ble The Acting Chief Justice relating to reconstitution of Committees, as mentioned above with the condition that proper charge of Government records or cash, if any, or any government property with her, may be handed over by her before proceeding abroad?

Or

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

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

## Hon'ble Mr. Justice Siddharth,

## Administrative Judge, Gonda

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