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From,

Sharib Ali,
Judge Small Causes Courts,
Bijnor

Through,

Respected District Judge,
Bijnor

To,

Respected Registrar General,
Hon'ble High Court of Judicature at Allahabad,
Allahabad.

Letter No. 1923 Dated - 05/7/2023

SUBJECT: - Prayer regarding Pre-mature transfer as my daughter Ms. Zehra Ali, aged around 10 is diagnosed of **AUTISM SPECTRUM DISORDER(ASD)** and needs specialized school for treatment and rehabilitation.

Respected Sir,

With due Regard, Respect and Honor I want to state that before joining judicial services in state of U.P. as Addl. Civil Judge (J.D)- 04 at District Mainpuri on 03-07-2013, my elder daughter Ms. Zehra Ali was born on 24-08-2012 in New Delhi.

Ms. Zehra Ali was unable to speak, respond to her name or follow general instructions. Firstly, I thought that she is having some hearing difficulty. Hence doctors were consulted at New Delhi and Lucknow. In the month of January 2015 Ms. Zehra Ali was referred to Dr. Sothele, a renowned child psychiatrist settled in Lucknow. I was advised that Ms. Zehra Ali is having a behavioral disorder Known as **AUTISM SPECTRUM DISORDER (ASD)** and later suggested to attend therapies at some Institute in Lucknow. It will not be out of place here to mention that **AUTISM SPECTRUM DISORDER (ASD)** is different from mental illness/sickness. Further, I was informed that whereas learning is slow in case of Autism and it is not possible in case of mental illness. A child diagnosed of Autism can make improvement if proper therapies are given under able guidance at proper age of the kid. Again, an autistic child can improve in great proportions before attaining puberty. Meanwhile, Ms. Zehra was tested at Meenakshi Speech & Hearing Clinics Pvt.



Limited, M 30 A Greater Kailash-I, New Delhi-48 and detailed report confirmed that she is suffering from Autism Spectrum Disorder. Above-stated report Dated 18.06.2014 is annexed as Paper No. A. Being posted at Mainpuri it was not possible for me to arrange for her therapies either at Lucknow (270 Km. form Mainpuri) or nearby city Agra (110 km. form Mainpuri). For some time, my wife shifted to Delhi for therapies but due to economic burden it was not possible, again my daughter needed physical presence of both parents. Ultimately, my wife returned to Mainpuri.

In October 2015, I was transferred to Outlying Court Aonla, Bareilly as Civil Judge (J.D) -01. After Joining on 21-10-2015 doctors were consulted at District Bareilly. Once again, at Shri Ram Murthi Smarak Institute of Medical Sciences, Bareilly, Ms. Zehra was diagnosed of AUTISM SPECTRUM DISORDER (ASD) and referred to Jeewandhara Rehabilitation and Research Institute, Bareilly for therapy Sessions (Annexures A1 to A5)- Ms. Zehra Ali was evaluated and referred for five days (Monday to Friday) therapy per week (Annexures B1 to B3). Fee receipts of Jeewandhara Rehabilitation and Research Institute, Bareilly are attached as Annexures C1 to C12).

Assessment Report of Ms. Zehra Ali at the time of joining therapies at Jeewandhara Rehabilitation and Research Institute, Bareilly, dated **13-01-2017** mentions that:-

- Ms. Zehra is not able to follow instructions.
- she did not like changes; and.
- Dependent on self- help skills on parents.

Opinion: "She was under observation for few sessions and found to have very poor 'on seat behavior, on eye contact and attention and concentration were to be very inadequate. she did not respond to her name and she had hyperactive behavior with speech was almost absent".

Assessment Report of Ms. Zehra in month of **July 2016** mentions that:-

Opinion: "After therapy session of about six month duration, she was able to imitate and speak. Her concentration and attention was improved. She was responsible to her name. She was able to identify and name household object, fruits, vegetables, Colours, shapes, animals, etc. Her (Activities of daily living) was also improved."

Assessment Report of Ms. Zehra in month of **November 2017**

mentions that:-

Opinion: "Results suggesting that child should be continued with therapeutic/intervention sessions without fail. The parents are also advised not to take up any transfer, etc. for the betterment of the child."

Above stated reports are annexed as Annexure D.

So long I was posted in Outlying Court, Aonla, District Bareilly, Ms. Zehra attended therapy Sessions at Jeewandhara Institute, Bareilly and also attended Bachpan School at Aonla where she was given special education in tune with and under the instructions of her therapist till my stay there. Fee receipts of bachpan school are annexed as Annexure E.

Meanwhile I was transferred to District Baghpat in Month of April 2018 and therapies of Ms. Zehra continued firstly at Prism Centre for Autism in neighboring City of Ghaziabad and later by Private Tutors at Baghpat. I was transferred to Bijnor in April 2021 and online therapies continued at Mom's Belief Institute with the assistance of a private tutor. I was informed by Mom's Belief Institute that Ms. Zehra needs specialized schools located in Gautam Budhdh Nagar, Delhi and Meerut for further therapies and rehabilitation as Ms. Zehra is in growing age and becoming somewhat violent at some points of time. Quoting the very words of the report dated 04.07.2023, Dr. Vishwaraj Bhimte, Reg. No. A 38188, Ist Floor Sulaiman Manzil, Residency Road, Sadar Nagpur-01 " ...Ms. Zehra is taking online sessions on regular basis. She has started speaking at simple words and phrases level. For her better development, I have decided to refer her to inclusive education center which are available at some Metro cities like Noida, e.g. Step-By- Step, as early as possible. This school of Pan-India fame named STEP-BY-STEP, A-10 Yamuna Express way Sector 132, Noida, UP is located in Gautam Budhdh Nagar. This school runs Centre for Special Education (CSE) which supports children within the age range of 6 to 18 Years, who have mild to moderate learning difficulties. This school offers training sessions in small groups where the teacher-student ratio is 1:6 and an endeavor is made to maintain balance between age and cognitive level of functioning. Other notable schools located in Noida are Margshree Special School & Therapy Centre, Humara Gurukul Academy for Special Children and Sunrise Learning Special School. In delhi there are a lot of schools that can cater needs of my daughter Ms. Zehra are Ignited Minds Special School & Learning Centre, Ahyaas Special School and Purti Special School for slow Learners. Apart from these centers for specialized



learning there are other schools located in district Ghaziabad and Meerut. Report of Mom's Belief Institute is attached as Annexure E.

Again, I would like to draw attention of His Highness that my wife Shamsa Naqvi is also pursuing a Ph.D. in School of Liberal Arts, Noida International University and her topic is "Promoting International Gender norms in india and Iran: A Comparative Study" under guidance of Prof. Dr. Aparna Sharma and Co-supervisor Prof. Dr. Abdul Rahim Vijapur. She had completed her M.Phil. for Jamil Millia Islamia, New Delhi in 2008 and two years back she has resumed her studies again.

At present my father Mr. Mohd. Anees is aging around 72 and my mother Mrs. Muslima Zehra is aging around 66. My mother is diabetic since 2005 and father has gone under Angiography last year. My parents are currently residing in Muzaffar Nagar.

Because of Ms. Zehra Ali's unique medical condition, it is necessary and advisable that now onwards she should continue her therapies at higher center so her condition may improve. If proper training and therapies are not given to her then her medical condition may worsen. I am having just two daughters and one of them is suffering from Autism. If I can ever do anything that can make her life better is providing her special treatment she needs right now. Once her age of therapy session will be over, no one can help her living a difficult life. It is also mentionable that both the daughters are very much attached to me, particularly Ms. Zehra. Being father, I am duty bound to humbly pray to your good self with folded hands so that I can at least make my daughter's life better.

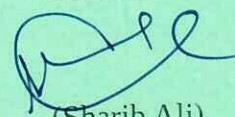
Therefore, it is Kindly prayed that I may be transferred to Gautam Budhdh Nagar or Hapur so that I can be near my parents to ensure there look after, as well arrange for therapies of Ms. Zehra Ali and ensure continuation of Ph.D. of my wife at Noida International University, Noida.

Rest I leave to your Grace's fine sense of judgment.

I SHALL BE HIGHLY OBLIGED.

THANKING YOUR GOODSELF IN ANTICIPATION.

YOUR'S



(Sharib Ali)

Judge Small Causes Court
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5th July, 2023

Forwarded to Hon'ble High Court

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