ITEM NO.8 Court No.1 (Video Conferencing) SECTION XI-A

SUPREME COURT OF INDIA **RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS**

Petition(s) for Special Leave to Appeal (C) No(s).3819/2021

(Arising out of impugned final judgment and order dated 22-02-2021 1515/2020 passed by the High Court Of Kerala At Ernakulam)

P.J. JOSEPH

Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

ELECTION COMMISSION OF INDIA & ORS.

Respondent(s)

(WITH IA No.31111/2021-EXEMPTION FROM FILING C/C OF THE IMPUGNED JUDGMENT)

WITH SLP(C) No. 3977/2021 (XI-A) (FOR ADMISSION and I.R. and IA No.33195/2021-EXEMPTION FROM FILING C/C OF THE IMPUGNED JUDGMENT)

Date: 15-03-2021 These matters were called on for hearing today. CORAM:

HON'BLE THE CHIEF JUSTICE

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE A.S. BOPANNA

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE V. RAMASUBRAMANIAN

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UPON hearing the counsel the Court made the following ORDER

The special leave petitions are dismissed.

As a sequel to the above, pending interlocutory applications, if any, stand disposed of.

(SANJAY KUMAR-II) **ASTT. REGISTRAR-cum-PS** (INDU KUMARI POKHRIYAL) ASSISTANT REGISTRAR