SUPREME COURT OF INDIA RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS

Petition(s) for Special Leave to Appeal (C) No(s). 11008/2024

[Arising out of impugned final judgment and order dated 20-03-2024 in CONTP No. 1387/2023 passed by the High Court of Judicature at Madras]

M/S. LAVANYA AND COMPANY PROPRIETORSHIP FIRM

Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

M/S. ARUNA THEATRES AND ENTERPRISES PVT. LTD. & ORS.Respondent(s)

(IA No. 257963/2024 - APPLICATION FOR VACATION OF INTERIM ORDER, IA No. 261288/2024 - CLARIFICATION/DIRECTION, IA No. 113887/2024 -JUDGMENT, EXEMPTION FROM FILING C/C OF THE **IMPUGNED** IA 269788/2024 **PERMISSION** T₀ **FILE ADDITIONAL** IA No. 120987/2024 - PERMISSION TO FILE DOCUMENTS/FACTS/ANNEXURES, DOCUMENTS/FACTS/ANNEXURES, 113933/2024 IΑ No. PERMISSION TO FILE ADDITIONAL DOCUMENTS/FACTS/ANNEXURES)

WITH

SLP(C) No. 12565-12566/2024 (XII) (IA No. 120425/2024 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING C/C OF THE IMPUGNED JUDGMENT)

Date: 18-12-2024 These matters were called on for hearing today.

CORAM:

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE B.R. GAVAI HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE K.V. VISWANATHAN

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UPON hearing the counsel the Court made the following
O R D E R

- 1. Learned counsel for the petitioner states that even if the entire claim of the petitioner is accepted, the amount would not have come to more than 3.71 crores.
- 2. It is submitted that the amount deposited in the High Court alongwith interest comes to around Rs. 80 lakhs.
- 3. We, therefore, direct the respondent to deposit an amount of Rs. 3 crores in the High Court within a period of four weeks from today.
- 4. On such deposit being made, the said amount is directed to invest in an interest bearing deposit in a Nationalized Bank, until further orders.
- 5. In that view of the matter and since the interest of the petitioner is more than adequately protected, the interim protection granted to the petitioner stands vacated.
- 6. List on 21.01.2025.

(DEEPAK SINGH)
ASTT. REGISTRAR-cum-PS

(ANJU KAPOOR)
COURT MASTER (NSH)