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SPECIAL LEAVE PETITION (CIVIL) Diary No. 45859/2024

[Arising out of impugned final judgment and order dated 05-07-2024 in FAO No. 411/2024 passed by the High Court of Judicature at Allahabad]

IFTIKHAR ALAM

Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

M/S M.M.I TOBACCO PVT. LTD. & ANR.

Respondent(s)

FOR ADMISSION, IA No. 54525/2025 - CONDONATION OF DELAY IN REFILING
/ CURING THE DEFECTS, IA No. 54526/2025 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING
O.T., IA No. 54524/2025 - PERMISSION TO FILE ADDITIONAL
DOCUMENTS/FACTS/ANNEXURES

Date : 07-03-2025 This matter was called on for hearing today.

CORAM :

HON'BLE THE CHIEF JUSTICE
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SANJAY KUMAR

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

Delay condoned.

We are not inclined to interfere with the impugned judgment;

hence, the present special leave petition is dismissed.

We clarify that the observations made in the impugned judgment and the dismissal of the present special leave petition will not be treated as final or binding observations on merits, as the final adjudication of the suit would be on the basis of the evidence led by the parties. The opinion expressed in the impugned judgment is only a *prima facie* opinion.

Pending application(s), if any, shall stand disposed of.

(BABITA PANDEY)
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