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SPECIAL LEAVE PETITION (CIVIL) Diary No. 36057/2025

[Arising out of impugned final judgment and order dated 17-03-2025 in WA No. 1821/2024 passed by the High Court of Kerala at Ernakulam]

KERALA STATE ROAD TRANSPORT CORPORATION

Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

RAJESH K. JACOB & ORS.

Respondent(s)

(IA No. 194544/2025 - CONDONATION OF DELAY IN REFILING / CURING THE DEFECTS and IA No. 194545/2025 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING C/C OF THE IMPUGNED JUDGMENT)

Date : 29-08-2025 This matter was called on for hearing today.

CORAM :

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SANJAY KUMAR
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SATISH CHANDRA SHARMA

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

Delay condoned.

Issue notice on the special leave petition as well as on the

prayer for interim relief, returnable on 29.10.2025.

Mr. Subhash Chandran K.R., learned counsel, and Mr. Ankur S. Kulkarni, learned counsel, who are present in Court on advance notice/caveat, waive service and accept notice on behalf of respondent Nos. 1 and 4, respectively. Hence, notice need not be served on the said respondents.

Notice upon the unrepresented respondents shall be served by all modes, including *dasti*.

(DEEPAK GUGLANI)
AR-cum-PS

(PREETI SAXENA)
COURT MASTER (NSH)