COURT NO.8

SUPREME COURTOF INDIA RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS

<u>Item No.63:</u> Civil Appeal No(s). 6174/2023

**BHOPAL MUNICIPAL CORPORATION** 

Appellant(s)

VERSUS

DR SUBHASH C. PANDEY & ORS.

Respondent(s)

(IA No.198051/2023-EXEMPTION FROM FILING C/C OF THE IMPUGNED JUDGMENT and IA No.198050/2023-STAY APPLICATION)

With <u>Item No.71:</u> Civil Appeal No(s). 7728/2023 (IA No. 241136/2023 - STAY APPLICATION)

Date : 01-12-2023 These appeals were called on for hearing today.

CORAM :

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ABHAY S. OKA HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE PANKAJ MITHAL

For Appellant(s)

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For Respondent(s)

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

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We have carefully perused the affidavit filed in terms of this Court's order dated 3<sup>rd</sup> October, 2023 by the appellant-Bhopal Municipal Corporation.

After carefully perusing the affidavit, *prima facie*, we find that there is non-compliance with the provisions of the Solid Waste Management Rules, 2016.

The learned senior counsel appearing for the appellant seeks time to file a better affidavit giving better details and particulars.

We make it clear that after a better affidavit is filed by the appellant, we propose to engage appropriate expert agency to verify the correctness of the stand taken by the appellant regarding compliance with the Rules.

We grant time of two months to the appellant to file a better affidavit. No further time will be granted.

List on 23<sup>rd</sup> February, 2024.

In the meanwhile, it will be open for the appellant to file rejoinder affidavit.

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De-tag and list separately on 19<sup>th</sup> January, 2024.

(ANITA MALHOTRA) AR-CUM-PS (AVGV RAMU) COURT MASTER

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