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Civil Appeal No(s). 2131/2012

M/S GAS AUTHORITY OF INDIA LIMITED

Appellant(s)

VERSUS

THE STATE OF UTTAR PRADESH & ORS.

Respondent(s)

IA No. 84225/2023 - EARLY HEARING APPLICATION

WITH

C.A. No. 2132/2012 (III-A)

Date : 16-07-2026 These matters were called on for hearing today.

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE PRASHANT KUMAR MISHRA
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SHREE CHANDRASHEKHAR

For Appellant(s) Mr. N. L. Ganapathi, AOR

For Respondent(s) Mr. Bhakti Vardhan Singh, AOR
Mr. Sauvik Singh, Adv.
Mr. J Tarun Kumar, Adv.
Mr. Ankit Khatri, Adv.

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

1. Learned counsel for the appellant submits that the basis for issuing notice for re-assessment was the invoices issued by the appellant to the 12 industrial consumers, who have drawn excess gas by tampering the meter.
2. Upon issuance of invoices raising demand from the consumers, the respondent-State of Uttar Pradesh treated the demand raised by the appellant on the consumers as sale of the excess quantity of gas to the 12 consumers.

3. In the present proceedings, appellant - Gas Authority of India Limited has challenged the re-assessment proceedings. Learned counsel for the appellant submits that in arbitration dispute raised by two consumers, award has been passed in their favour on finding that they have not tampered to obtain excess gas from the supply line.

4. It is submitted that from 10 other consumers also, the appellant has not recovered any amount basing the invoices which in turn was the basis for initiation of re-assessment proceedings.

5. Learned counsel for the appellant submits that he shall file an affidavit to the above effect.

6. List this matter(s) on 21.07.2026.

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