ITEM NO.8 COURT NO.1 SECTION XII

S U P R E M E C O U R T O F I N D I A
RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS

Petition(s) for Special Leave to Appeal (C) No(s). 2359-2360/2026

[Arising out of impugned judgment and order dated 09-01-2026 in WP No. 6989/2022 09-01-2026 in WP No. 6993/2022 passed by the High Court of Judicature at Madras]

SHANMUGHA ARTS SCIENCE TECHNOLOGY AND RESEARCH ACADEMY (SASTRA) & ANR. Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

THE STATE OF TAMIL NADU & ORS. Respondent(s)

(IA No. 12172/2026 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING C/C OF THE IMPUGNED JUDGMENT, IA No. 12173/2026 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING O.T., IA No. 141957/2026 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING O.T., IA No. 12968/2026 - PERMISSION TO FILE ADDITIONAL DOCUMENTS/FACTS/ANNEXURES and IA No. 75978/2026 - PERMISSION TO FILE ADDITIONAL DOCUMENTS/FACTS/ ANNEXURES)

Date : 23-11-2026 This matter was called on for hearing today.

CORAM : HON'BLE THE CHIEF JUSTICE
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JOYMALYA BAGCHI
HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE V. MOHANA

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UPON hearing the counsel the Court made the following

O R D E R

1. Despite repeated persuasive orders being passed from time to time, we are informed that the State Government has declined to accept any of the auctions offered on behalf of the petitioners. On the contrary, the State seeks adjudication on merits.

2. Issue notice.

3. Mr. Sabarish Subramanian, Ms. Kanika Kalaiyarasan and Ms. Jayasree Narasimhan, learned AOR, accept notice on behalf of the respondent(s).

4. Service is complete.

5. Counter affidavit, if any, be filed within two weeks.

6. Heard learned senior counsel/counsel for the parties.

7. Leave granted.

8. Interim stay against dispossession and/or any kind of interference in possessionary rights is made absolute.

(NITIN TALREJA)
ASTT. REGISTRAR-cum-PS

(PREETHI DILEEP KUMAR)
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