ITEM NO.1 Virtual Court 2 SECTION XVII

SUPREME COURT OF INDIA RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS

Civil Appeal No(s).13301/2015

SUBRATA BHATTACHARYA

Appellant(s)

VERSUS

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE BOARD OF INDIA & ORS. Respondent(s)

WITH

I.A. NO. 48327/2020 in T.C.(Crl.) No. 1/2016 (XVI-A) (IA No. 48327/2020 - CLARIFICATION/DIRECTION)

Date: 24-04-2020 This application was called on for hearing today.

CORAM:

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

I.A. NO. 48327/2020 in T.C.(Crl.) No. 1/2016

The Court convened through video conferencing.

This application has been filed for an extension of the order passed by this Court on 27 March 2020 granting interim bail to the applicant for a period of four weeks. The circumstances in which and the conditions, subject to which the interim bail was granted, have been set out in the previous order. It would suffice to note that interim bail of four weeks was granted since the spouse of the applicant had undergone a major surgery.

We find from the record that the medical certificates which have been annexed date back to 10 April 2020 or even prior thereto. Be that as it may, we are of the view that the interim protection which was granted to the applicant of four weeks was more than adequate. However, considering the facts and circumstances, we extend the interim bail which was granted by the order of this Court dated 27 March 2020 by a further period of one week on the same terms and conditions. However, any expenditure

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borne by the Haryana Police or by the CBI, as the case may be, in providing police escort shall be borne by the applicant.

We clarify that no further extension of time would be granted. We also specifically clarify that the substantive application for bail which has been filed before the trial Court shall be considered on its own merits and independent of the limited protection which was granted to the applicant by the order of this Court dated 27 March 2020 and by the order which has been passed today.

The application is accordingly disposed of.

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