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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY

ORDINARY ORIGINAL CIVIL JURISDICTION

WRIT PETITION (L) NO. 2325 OF 2024
with
INTERIM APPLICATION (L) NO. 2769 OF 2024
AND
INTERIM APPLICATION (L) NO.2763 OF 2024

Ashoka Marketing Ltd. ... Petitioner

Versus

Securities and Exchange Board of India ...Respondent

And

WRIT PETITION (L) No.2326 OF 2024
WITH
INTERIM APPLICATION (L) NO.2767 OF 2024
AND
INTERIM APPLICATION (L) NO.2764 OF 2024

Matrix Merchandise Ltd. ...Petitioner

Versus

Securities and Exchange Board of India ...Respondent

And

WRIT PETITION (L) No. 1775 OF 2024

Bharat Nidhi Ltd. ...Petitioner

Versus

Securities and Exchange Board of India ...Respondent

Mr.Venkatesh Dhond, Senior Advocate with Mr. Rishabh Jasani and Mr. Manas Kotak i/b. Shardul Amarchand Mangaldas & Co., for Petitioner in WPL 1775/24.

Mr. Shyam Mehta, Senior Advocate with Ms. Arti Raghawan, Mr. Pulkit Sukhramani, Ms. Vidhi Jhawar, Mr. Shourya Tanay, Mr. Deepank Anand i/b. JSA Advocates and Solicitors, for the Applicant in IAL 2767/24 and 2769/24, and for Resondent No.9 to 25 in WPL 1775/24.

Mr. Kunal Katariya with Ms. Garima Mehrotra, for Applicant in IAL 2763 and 2764 of 2024 and for Respondent No.26 and 27 in WPL 1775/24.

Mr. Manas Kotak with Mr. Rishabh Jasani i/b. Amarchand Mangaldas & Co., for Petitioner in WPL 2325/24 and 2326/24 and for Respondent in IAL 2763/24

and IAL 2767/24, IAL 2769/24 AND IAL 2764/24.

Mr. Vishal Kanade with Mr. Dhaval A. Patil i/b. K. Ashar & Co., for Respondent No.1 in all matters.

CORAM:	_____ G. S. KULKARNI & FIRDOSH P. POONIWALLA, JJ.
DATED:	8 February 2024

P. C.:

1. These are four Interim Applications wherein the prayer of the applicants is to intervene in the proceedings of the above two writ petitions.
2. Learned Counsel for the petitioner has no objection for the applicants being added as respondents in the present proceedings. We accordingly allow the Interim Applications in terms of prayer clause (a). Let necessary amendment be carried out within one week, and amended copies be served on the other side.
3. Respondents / Intervenors are directed to file reply, if any, within two weeks; rejoinder, if any, be filed one week thereafter.
4. List these petitions for hearing on **29 February 2024**.
5. Let the other respondents also be filed reply well in advance.
6. Ad-interim order, if any, operating, shall continue to operate till the adjourned date of hearing.

(FIRDOSH P. POONIWALLA, J.)

(G. S. KULKARNI, J.)