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* **IN THE HIGH COURT OF DELHI AT NEW DELHI**
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+ W.P.(C) 7206/2023 & CM APPLs. 28016/2023, 28017/2023,
62798/2023, 899/2024 & 900/2024
MUBARAK HAJ AND UMRA SERVICES Petitioner

versus

UNION OF INDIA Respondent

(64)

+ W.P.(C) 7229/2023 & CM APPL. 28197/2023
RIZHWAN HAJ AND UMRA SERVICES Petitioner

versus

UNION OF INDIA Respondent

(65)

+ W.P.(C) 7241/2023 & CM APPLs. 28207/2023, 28208/2023,
62763/2023, 897/2024 & 898/2024
DHEEN HAJ SERVICE Petitioner

versus

(198) UNION OF INDIA Respondent

+ W.P.(C) 7015/2023
SILVERLINK INTERNATIONAL Petitioner

versus

UNION OF INDIA Respondent

Appearances:



Mr. Sulaiman Mohd. Khan, Ms. Taiba Khan, Mr. Bhanu Malhotra, Md. Ainul Ansarim, Mr. Gopeshwar Singh Chandel and Mr. Abdul Bari Khan, Advocates for Petitioner in Item Nos. 63, 65, 198.

Mr. Vedansh Anand, GP for UOI in Item Nos. 65.

Mr. Apoorv Kurup, CGSC with Mr. Akhil Hasija, Advocate for R-1 in Item Nos. 54.

Mr. Anurag Ahluwalia, CGSC with Mr. Kaushal Jeet Kait, GP and Mr. Aditya Singh, Under Secretary, Mr. Sumit Goel, Legal Head and Mr. Hitesh Garg, CA in Item No.63, 198.

Mr. Mukul Singh, CGSC with Ms. Ira Singh, Mr. Sumit Goel, Advocates and Mr. Vedansh Anand, GP in Item Nos. 64, 65.

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HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SUBRAMONIUM PRASAD

ORDER

11.01.2024

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1. The Petitioners seek to challenge the communication sent by the Respondent to the Petitioners rejecting the representation made by the Petitioners herein and declaring them as ineligible for registration and allocation of Haj Quota for Haj 2023.
2. The primary contention in most of the Writ Petitions is that though clarifications were sought for from the Petitioners on some points for which replies have been given. The Representation of the Petitioners have been rejected on entirely different grounds. It is stated that for Haj 2024 also similar clarifications have been sought from the Petitioners and notices have been issued to the Petitioners for which replies have been given and are



being given by the Petitioners.

3. The Petitioners are directed to give a composite representation to the Respondents in addition to the replies already filed. The Petitioners are also directed to take all the grounds in the representation including the ground taken by them in the present Writ Petition.

4. Representations/further representations are directed to be given on or before 06:00 PM on 13.01.2024.

5. Subject to the final decision taken by the Respondents on the representations of the Petitioners, the Petitioners are permitted to apply for Haj 2024. It is made clear that in case the representations of the Petitioners are rejected, then the Petitioners shall not claim equity for consideration for Haj 2024 on the ground that the Petitioners have already filed their applications. It is also open for the Petitioners to challenge the decision taken by the Respondents by taking appropriate steps in accordance with law.

6. As indicated above, the Respondents are directed to not only consider the representations of the Petitioners but also the grounds taken in the present Writ Petitions while adjudicating the representations.

7. Let the exercise be concluded within 20 days from today.

8. With these directions and liberties, the Writ Petitions are disposed of along with the pending applications, if any.

SUBRAMONIUM PRASAD, J

JANUARY 11, 2024

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