

ITEM NO.11

REGISTRAR COURT. 1

SECTION PIL-W

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

BEFORE THE REGISTRAR SH. H. SHASHIDHARA SHETTY

Writ Petition(s)(Civil) No(s). 142/2022

COMMON CAUSE

Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

UNION OF INDIA & ORS.

Respondent(s)

Date : 21-09-2023 This petition was called on for hearing today.

For Petitioner(s)

Mr. Prashant Bhushan, AOR
Mr. Anurag Tiwary, Adv.

For Respondent(s)

Mr. Amrish Kumar, AOR
Mrs. A Deepa, Adv.

Mr. Abhimanyu Tewari, AOR
Ms. Eliza Bar, Adv.

Mr. Gautam Narayan, AOR
Ms. Asmita Singh, Adv.
Mr. Harshit Goel, Adv.
Mr. Siddhant Singh, Adv.

Mr. Abhay Anil Anturkar, Adv.
Mr. Dhruv Tank, Adv.
Mr. Aniruddha Awalgaonkar, Adv.
Ms. Surbhi Kapoor, AOR

Mr. Shaila Arora, Adv.
Mr. Aditya Bharat Manubarwala, Adv.
Mr. Bharat Thakorlal Manubarwala, AOR

Mr. V. N. Raghupathy, AOR
Mr. Manendra Pal Gupta, Adv.

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Ms. K. Enatoli Sema, AOR
Ms. Limayinla Jamir, Adv.
Mr. Amit Kumar Singh, Adv.
Ms. Chubalemla Chang, Adv.
Mr. Prang Newmai, Adv.

Mr. Ajay Pal, AOR

Mr. Anand Shankar, AOR

Mr. Sameer Abhyankar, AOR
Ms. Vani Vandana Chhetri, Adv.
Ms. Nishi Sangtani, Adv.
Mr. Naman Jain, Adv.

Mr. Saurabh Trivedi, AOR
Mr. Ashutosh Kumar Sharma, Adv.

Mr. Bhanu Mishra, Adv.
Ms. Astha Sharma, AOR

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

Respondent nos.3, 10, 22 and 23 have filed counter affidavit.

Respondent nos. 6, 7, 12, 19, 28 and 29 have failed to file counter affidavit despite last opportunity having been granted, as such, further opportunity stands declined.

Respondent no.1 has failed to file counter affidavit despite last opportunity having been granted. However, ld. Counsel appearing on behalf of respondent no.1 submits that they have filed counter affidavit today morning. Registry to verify and update the records.

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Memo of appearance has been filed in respect of respondent no.9. Vakalatnama and counter affidavit have not been filed despite last opportunity having been granted, as such further opportunity to file counter affidavit stands declined, however, vakalatnama may be filed as per Supreme Court Rules.

Memo of appearance has been filed in respect of respondent no.21. Ld. Counsel appearing on behalf of respondent no.21 submits that they have filed vakalatnama on behalf of the said respondent two days back and seeks time to file counter affidavit. Registry to verify and update the records. Counter affidavit be filed within four weeks as final opportunity.

Service is complete on respondent no.8. Ld. counsel, Mr Raunak appearing on behalf of Ms Swati Ghildiyal, Advocate-on-record appears for the said respondent and seeks time for filing vakalatnama and counter affidavit. Be filed within four weeks time.

Service is complete on respondent nos.2, 4, 5, 11, 13-18, 20, 24-27 and 30 but none has entered appearance.

List again on 6.11.2023.

H. SHASHIDHARA SHETTY
Registrar