

ITEM NO.501

COURT NO.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

Writ Petition (Civil) No. 494/2012

JUSTICE K.S. PUTTASWAMY (RETD) & ANR.

Petitioners

VERSUS

UNION OF INDIA & ORS.

Respondents

(IA No.141212/2017-impleading party and IA No.141215/2017-CLARIFICATION/DIRECTION and IA No.5311/2018-impleading party and IA No.5312/2018-CLARIFICATION/DIRECTION and IA No.5890/2018-INTERVENTION APPLICATION and IA No.10105/2018-INTERVENTION APPLICATION and IA No.10355/2018-impleading party and IA No.13628/2018-impleading party and IA No.24406/2018-INTERVENTION APPLICATION)

WITH

T.C.(C) No. 151/2013 (XVI-A)

T.C.(C) No. 152/2013 (XVI-A)

W.P.(C) No. 833/2013 (PIL-W)

W.P.(C) No. 829/2013 (PIL-W)

(and IA No.22171/2018-INTERVENTION APPLICATION and IA No.22174/2018-PERMISSION TO APPEAR AND ARGUE IN PERSON)

T.P.(C) No. 1797/2013 (XVI-A)

W.P.(C) No. 932/2013 (PIL-W)

T.P.(C) No. 1796/2013 (XVI-A)

CONMT.PET.(C) No. 144/2014 In W.P.(C) No. 494/2012 (PIL-W)

T.P.(C) No. 313/2014 (XVI-A)

T.P.(C) No. 312/2014 (XVI-A)

SLP(Cr1.) No. 2524/2014 (II-A)

W.P.(C) No. 37/2015 (PIL-W)

W.P.(C) No. 220/2015 (PIL-W)

CONMT.PET.(C) No. 674/2015 In W.P.(C) No. 829/2013 (PIL-W)

T.P.(C) No. 921/2015 (XVI-A)

CONMT.PET.(C) No. 470/2015 In W.P.(C) No. 494/2012 (PIL-W)

W.P.(C) No. 231/2016 (PIL-W)

(FOR ON IA 1/2016 - DIRECTION FOR ON IA 2/2016 - PERMISSION TO AMEND WRIT PETITION AND RAISING ADDITIONAL GROUNDS))

CONMT.PET.(C) No. 444/2016 In W.P.(C) No. 494/2012 (PIL-W)

CONMT.PET.(C) No. 608/2016 In W.P.(C) No. 494/2012 (PIL-W)

W.P.(C) No. 797/2016 (PIL-W)

(FOR PERMISSION TO FILE ANNEXURES ON IA 4/2016,
FOR DIRECTIONS ON IA 5/2017)

FOR STAY APPLICATION ON IA 6/2017)

CONMT.PET.(C) No. 844/2017 In W.P.(C) No. 494/2012 (PIL-W)

W.P.(C) No. 342/2017 (PIL-W)

(FOR INTERIM PRAYERS FOR GRANT OF INTERIM RELIEF ON IA 1/2017 and

IA No.129017/2017-impleading party and IA No.129021/2017-CLARIFICATION/DIRECTION and IA No.129027/2017-impleading party and IA No.129032/2017-CLARIFICATION/DIRECTION and IA No.1551/2018-impleading party and IA No.6537/2018-INTERVENTION APPLICATION and IA No.6666/2018-INTERVENTION APPLICATION)

W.P.(C) No. 372/2017 (X)

W.P.(C) No. 841/2017 (X)

(FOR ADMISSION and IA No.119235/2017-AMENDMENT OF THE PETITION)

W.P.(C) No. 1058/2017 (PIL-W)

W.P.(C) No. 966/2017 (PIL-W)

(FOR ADMISSION and IA No.102155/2017-GRANT OF INTERIM RELIEF)

W.P.(C) No. 1014/2017 (PIL-W)

(FOR ADMISSION and I.R. and IA No.107091/2017-GRANT OF INTERIM RELIEF and IA No.122999/2017-impleading party)

W.P.(C) No. 1002/2017 (PIL-W)

W.P.(C) No. 1056/2017 (X)

(and IA No.6196/2018-PERMISSION TO FILE ADDITIONAL DOCUMENTS)

CONMT.PET.(C) No. 34/2018 in W.P.(C) No. 1014/2017 (PIL-W)

(FOR ADMISSION)

Date : 12-04-2018 This matter was called on for hearing today.

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Put up for further hearing on 17.4.2018.

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