

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

Transfer Petition(C) Nos. 884-895/2016

UNION OF INDIA ETC.

Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

THE UNITED PLANTERS

ASSOCIATION OF SOUTHERN INDIA ETC. ETC. & ORS. Respondent(s)

(IA No. 1/2017 - STAY APPLICATION)

WITH

T.P.(C) No. 683/2019 (XVI-A)

(FOR ADMISSION and IA No.53768/2019-EX-PARTE STAY)

T.P.(C) No. 1456-1461/2016 (XVI-A)

IA No. 1/2016 - STAY APPLICATION)

T.P.(C) No. 1473-1531/2016 (XVI-A)

IA No. 1/2016 - EX-PARTE STAY)

T.P.(C) No. 590-598/2017 (XVI-A)

(FOR STAY APPLICATION ON IA 1/2017)

T.P.(C) No. 480-481/2017 (XVI-A)

(FOR STAY APPLICATION ON IA 1/2017)

T.P.(C) No. 760-789/2017 (XVI-A)

(FOR EX-PARTE STAY ON IA 1/2017)

T.P.(C) No. 599-604/2017 (XVI-A)

(IA No. 1/2017 - STAY APPLICATION)

T.P.(C) No. 2127-2135/2017 (XVI-A)

T.P.(C) No. 1263-1269/2017 (XVI-A)

(FOR ADMISSION and IA No.66551/2017-STAY APPLICATION)

T.P.(C) No. 1253-1255/2017 (XVI-A)

(FOR AMENDMENT IN CAUSE TITLE ON IA 62946/2018)

T.P.(C) No. 2425/2017 (XVI-A)

(IA No. 138909/2017 - STAY APPLICATION)

T.P.(C) No. 659/2018 (XVI-A)

(FOR ADMISSION and I.R. and IA No.58463/2018-EX-PARTE STAY)

**T.P.(C) No. 856/2018 (XVI-A)**

**(FOR ADMISSION and IA No.71874/2018-STAY APPLICATION)**

**T.P.(C) No. 1237/2018 (XVI-A)**

**(FOR ADMISSION and I.R. and IA No.104847/2018-EX-PARTE STAY)**

**T.P.(C) No. 1954/2018 (XVI-A)**

**(FOR ADMISSION and IA No.165469/2018-EX-PARTE STAY)**

**T.P.(C) No. 218/2019 (XVI-A)**

**(FOR ADMISSION and IA No. 18843/2019 - EX-PARTE STAY)**

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Arguments concluded.

Order reserved.

Learned counsel for the parties may file respective short notes on their submissions, if so chosen on or before 25<sup>th</sup> February, 2022.

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