

ITEM NO.11

COURT NO.2

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. 943/2021

**ASHWINI KUMAR UPADHYAY**

**Petitioner(s)**

**VERSUS**

**UNION OF INDIA & ORS.**

**Respondent(s)**

**WITH**

**W.P.(C) No. 940/2022 (PIL-W)**  
**(FOR CLARIFICATION/DIRECTION ON IA 8752/2024)**

**Date : 17-01-2024 These matters were called on for hearing today.**

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

I.A. No. 8752/2024 in W.P.(C) No. 940/2022

It is to be noted that persons against whom allegations have been made, have not been impleaded as party to the present writ petition(s)/application.

Nevertheless, we would require the authorities to be conscious that no incitement to violence and hate speech are permissible.

The District Magistrate (D.M.) and the Superintendent of

Police (S.P.), Yavatmal, Maharashtra and Raipur, Chhattisgarh will take notice of the allegations made in the present application, a copy of which will be served on each of them.

The concerned D.Ms. and S.Ps. will take necessary steps, as may be required. If necessary and deemed appropriate, police/administration will install CCTV Cameras having recording facility, so as to ensure identification of the perpetrators in the event of any violence/hate speech.

The application is accordingly disposed of.

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