In WP 384

This is a

ITEM NO.3

COURT NO.4

SECTION X

SUPREME COURT OF INDIA RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS

WRIT PETITION (CIVIL) NO(s). 246 OF 2011

ABP PVT.LTD.& ANR

Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

UNION OF INDIA & ORS.

Respondent(s)

(With appln(s) for ex-Parte stay, amendment of the petition, stay, permission to amend the writ petition, impleadment and office report)

WITH

W.P(C) NO. 382 of 2011 [FOR PRELIMINARY HEARING] [BENNETT COLEMAN CO. LTD. & ANR. V. UNION OF INDIA & ORS.] (With appln. for ex parte stay and office report)

W.P(C) NO. 384 of 2011 [FOR PRELIMINARY HEARING] [INDIAN NEWS PAPER SOCIETY & ORS. V. UNION OF INDIA] (With appln. for ex parte stay, permission to file additional documents and office report)

W.P(C) NO. 386 of 2011 [FOR PRELIMINARY HEARING] [UNITED NEWS OF INDIA V. UNION OF INDIA & ORS.] (With appln. for ex parte stay and office report)

Date: 11/10/2011 These Petitions were called on for hearing today.

CORAM :

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                 UPON hearing counsel the Court made the following
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petitioner-Company to withdraw this letter.

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Issue notice in all the fresh writ petitions. Learned counsel for the parties present in Court accept notice on behalf of the respondents whom

they represent. Service of formal notice

them stands waived. Notice be sent to

respondents.

We direct the Union of India and ot

respondents to file a comprehensive affidavi

within four weeks from today in all the matters.

Rejoinder, if any, be filed within two we

thereafter. The parties would be at liberty to

file additional documents within four weeks.

List these matters for final disposal on 7th

December, 2011.

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[KALYANI GUPTA] [INDU SATIJA]
COURT MASTER COURT MASTER