

ITEM NO.1

REGISTRAR COURT

SECTION XVII-A

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

BEFORE THE LD. REGISTRAR SH. AVANI PAL SINGH

Original Suit No.2/2012

THE STATE OF TAMIL NADU

Plaintiff(s)

VERSUS

STATE OF KERALA & ANR.

Defendant(s)

(FOR FURTHER DIRECTIONS BEFORE SH. AVANI PAL SINGH LD. REGISTRAR,
TO BE TAKEN UP AT 12 NOON IN COURT ROOM NO. 10)

Date : 18-02-2020 This petition was called on for hearing today.

For Petitioner(s) Mr. M. Yogesh Kanna, AOR

For Respondent(s) Mr. Jaideep Gupta, Sr. Adv.
Mr. G. Prakash, AOR
Mr. Saurav Gupta, Adv.

Mr. A.K. Sharma, AOR
Ms. Sakshi Kakkar, Adv.

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

Learned counsels for both the parties appear on call.

Today is fixed for submission of affidavit of admission/denial by the defendant-State and for further directions in the suit. The Office Report has been filed by the Branch indicating, *inter-alia*, that the defendant-State has carried out inspection of the original documents on 22.01.2020.

Learned counsel appearing for the defendant-State submits an affidavit of admission/denial affirmed on 15.02.2020 by Sh. Shamsudeen K.H., Chief Engineer, Inter State Waters, Irrigation

Department, Government of Kerala, together with three copies thereof. Learned counsel for the plaintiff-State states that they have been served upon a copy of the affidavit. Let the said affidavit on behalf of the defendant-State be taken on record.

At this stage, learned counsel for the plaintiff-State submits that he has been recently entrusted with the matter by the State Authorities and that he has not been able to apprise himself with the voluminous records and accordingly, prays for some time on that ground. No objection is raised on behalf of defendant-State. The prayer is considered and allowed.

Let the matter come up on 25.02.2020 for further directions in the Suit.

**AVANI PAL SINGH
REGISTRAR**