ITEM NO.1 Court 13 (Video Conferencing)

SECTION XVI-A

SUPREME COURT OF INDIA RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS

Transfer Petition(s)(Civil) No(s).83-85/2021

THE STATE OF ANDHRA PRADESH

Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

D ANAND KUMAR & ORS.

Respondent(s)

IA No.46088/2021 - APPROPRIATE ORDERS/DIRECTIONS

IA No.8084/2021 - EX-PARTE STAY

WITH

Diary No(s). 1022/2021 (XVI-A)

IA No. 9677/2021 - APPLICATION FOR PERMISSION

IA No. 8933/2021 - EX-PARTE STAY

IA No. 50613/2021 - INTERVENTION/IMPLEADMENT

IA No. 8931/2021 - PERMISSION TO FILE PETITION (SLP/TP/WP/..))

Date: 13-08-2021 These matters were called on for hearing today.

CORAM:

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SURYA KANT

For Petitioner(s) Mr. R. Venkataramani, Sr.Adv.
In TP(C)83-85/21 Mr. Mahfooz Ahsan Nazki, AOR
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In D.No.1022/21 Mr. T. Vijaya Bhaskar Reddy, Adv.
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Mr. K.V. Girish Chowdary, Adv.

In D.No.1022/21 Mr. M. Surender Rao, Sr.Adv.

Mr. Santhana Krishnan, Adv.

Mr. Gautam Singh, Adv.

Mr. Lokesh Kumar Sharma, Adv. Mr. Krishna Kumar Singh, AOR

For Respondent(s) Mr. B. Adinarayana Rao, Sr.Adv.

For R.Nos.1 to 4 Mr. Sadineni Ravi Kumar, AOR

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

The Court is convened through Video Conferencing.

T.P.(C)Nos.83-85/2021

There are statedly about 3500 Engineers whose seniority is likely to be affected by the final outcome of the writ

proceedings pending in two different high courts, hence it appears difficult to implead and serve all of them in these transfer petitions which are not meant to decide the lis on merits. It is, thus, directed that let the Government of Andhra Pradesh issue an official Circular/Memorandum through email, informing all officers who are likely to be affected, regarding pendency of the present transfer petitions, and if any officer has any grievance against the prayer for transfer of pending writ petitions, he/she mav join these proceedings. Let the above-stated Circular/Memorandum be issued within two weeks.

Till the service/pleadings are complete, the High Court of Telangana is directed to keep the contempt proceedings initiated against the officers of State of Andhra Pradesh in abeyance.

Mr. Ravi Kumar Sadineni, learned counsel, who is on caveat on behalf of Respondent No.1 in T.P.(C) No.83/2021 and respondent Nos.1 to 4 in TP(C)No.85 of 2021 accepts notice on their behalf. Service qua these respondents is complete.

List the matter after four weeks.

D.No.1022/2021

The application for permission to file the transfer petition is allowed.

The application for impleadment is also allowed in terms of the prayer made.

Mr. Ravi Kumar Sadineni, learned counsel, who is on caveat on behalf of Respondent No.3 in WP No.9215/2020 and respondent Nos.3 to 6 in WP No.9993/2021 accepts notice on their behalf. Service qua these respondents is complete.

Counter Affidavit, if any, be filed within four weeks. List the matter thereafter.

(SATISH KUMAR YADAV)
DEPUTY REGISTRAR

(RAJ RANI NEGI) DEPUTY REGISTRAR