

S U P R E M E C O U R T O F I N D I A  
R E C O R D O F P R O C E E D I N G S

Civil Appeal No(s). 4372/2023

J. JOHN DEVAKUMAR &amp; ANR.

Appellant(s)

VERSUS

THE GOVERNMENT OF TAMIL NADU &amp; ORS.

Respondent(s)

([FOR FURTHER DIRECTION.]...[HEARD BY: HON'BLE S. RAVINDRA BHAT AND HON'BLE ARAVIND KUMAR, JJ. ]

(I.R. and IA No.98095/2022-EXEMPTION FROM FILING C/C OF THE IMPUGNED JUDGMENT and IA No.98094/2022-CONDONATION OF DELAY IN REFILEING / CURING THE DEFECTS and IA No.98096/2022-PERMISSION TO FILE ADDITIONAL DOCUMENTS/FACTS/ANNEXURES, IA No. 100702/2023 - APPROPRIATE ORDERS/DIRECTIONS, IA No. 161539/2022 - INTERVENTION APPLICATION and IA No. 106662/2022 - PERMISSION TO FILE ADDITIONAL DOCUMENTS/ FACTS/ANNEXURES)

Date : 01-08-2023 This matter was called on for hearing today.

CORAM :

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE S. RAVINDRA BHAT  
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Mr. Sabarish Subramanian, AORUPON hearing the counsel the Court made the following  
O R D E R

On 12.07.2023, this Court had heard learned counsel for the parties and reserved this appeal for judgment. It emerges from the records that a proceeding having intimate connection with one of the issues urged in these

proceedings (validity of G.O. No. 155 of 2015 dated 13.08.2015 amended in the year 2017) was dismissed and special leave petition challenging the High Court's order(s) is/are pending before this Court. Since that government order is consequential and has close connection with the controversy raised, it would be appropriate that the present appeal(s) is/are placed before the Bench seized of SLP(C) Nos. 17269-17271 of 2022, SLP(C) No. 17267-17268 of 2022 and SLP(C) No. 16508-16509 of 2022.

Accordingly, the present appeal is released from the category of 'CAV' (reserved).

List before the appropriate Bench (which granted leave in SLP(C) Nos. 17269-17271 of 2022 & Ors.).

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(BEENA JOLLY)  
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