

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

BEFORE THE REGISTRAR SH. AVANI PAL SINGH

Writ Petition(s)(Civil) No(s). 817/2021

MANDEEP SINGH & ORS.

Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

UNION OF INDIA & ORS.  
WITH

Respondent(s)

W.P.(C) No. 20/2022 (X)

(FOR ADMISSION and I.R. and IA No.4018/2022-EX-PARTE STAY and IA No.4017/2022-EXEMPTION FROM FILING O.T.)

Date : 02-02-2022 This petition was called on for hearing today.

For Petitioner(s)

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For Respondent(s)

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Mr. Anando Mukherjee, AOR  
Mr. Shwetank Singh, Adv.  
Ms. Ekta Bharati, Adv.

UPON hearing the counsel, the Court made the following  
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Ld. counsels for respondent Nos.4 and 9 pray for and are granted four weeks' time for filing counter affidavit.

The office report indicates that the service report in respect of respondent Nos.1 to 3, 5 to 8 and 10 to 37 is awaited.

Ld. Advocate, Mr. Prannoy Joe Sebastian on behalf of Mr. Sumeer Sodhi, Advocate-on-record undertakes to file vakalatnama and counter affidavit on behalf of respondent No.11 and prays for time in that regard. The undertaking is

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accepted and time of four weeks is granted for filing vakalatnama and counter affidavit on behalf of the said respondent.

Ld. Advocate, Mr. Aakash Singh, appearing on behalf of Mr. Nirnimesh Dubey, Advocate-on-record undertakes to file vakalatnama and counter affidavit on behalf of respondent No.21 and prays for time in that regard. The undertaking is accepted and time of four weeks is granted for filing vakalatnama and counter affidavit on behalf of the said respondent.

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Ld. counsels appearing for respondent Nos.4, 9, 18, 19 and 26 and respondent Nos.14, 15, 21 and 30 pray for time to file counter affidavit.

It would appear that the said respondents as well as respondent Nos.10, 22, 25 and 32 have not filed counter affidavit in terms of the Hon'ble Court's order dated 13.9.2021. As such, the prayer cannot be acceded to.

Respondent Nos.1, 20 and 23 have filed their short affidavit, reply affidavit and counter affidavit respectively.

Service is complete on respondent No.11 on 20.1.2022. Ld. Advocate, Mr. Prannoy Joe Sebastian on behalf of Mr.Sumeer Sodhi, Advocate-on-record undertakes to file

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vakalatnama and counter affidavit on behalf of respondent No.11 and prays for time in that regard. The undertaking is accepted and they may file vakalatnama and counter affidavit, in terms of the Hon'ble Court's order dated 13.9.2021.

Service is complete on respondent No.21 and Memo of Appearance has been filed on 6.12.2021. Ld. Advocate, Mr.Aakash Singh, appearing on behalf of Mr.Nirnimesh Dubey, Advocate-on-record undertakes to file vakalatnama and counter affidavit on behalf of respondent No.21 and prays for time in that regard. Ld. counsel for the said respondent has not filed counter affidavit in terms of the Hon'ble Court's order dated 13.9.2021. As such, the prayer cannot be acceded to. However, vakalatnama may be filed.

Remaining respondents have been duly served, however none appears on their behalf.

List on 15.3.2022.

**AVANI PAL SINGH**  
Registrar