

ITEM NO.15

COURT NO.2

SECTION XVI

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

Petition for Special Leave to Appeal (C) No. 16942/2023

(Arising out of impugned final judgment and order dated 01-08-2023 in CWJC No. 4650/2023 passed by the High Court of Judicature at Patna)

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Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

UNION OF INDIA &amp; ORS.

Respondent(s)

(IA No. 223988/2023 - APPLICATION FOR PERMISSION  
IA No. 204735/2023 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING AFFIDAVIT  
IA No. 152434/2023 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING C/C OF THE IMPUGNED JUDGMENT  
IA No. 152436/2023 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING O.T.  
IA No. 24363/2024 - INTERVENTION APPLICATION  
IA No. 204731/2023 - INTERVENTION APPLICATION  
IA No. 162549/2023 - INTERVENTION APPLICATION)

WITH

SLP(C) No. 16992/2023 (XVI)

(IA No. 153385/2023 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING C/C OF THE IMPUGNED JUDGMENT

IA No. 153386/2023 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING O.T.

IA No. 159658/2023 - PERMISSION TO FILE ADDITIONAL DOCUMENTS/FACTS/ANNEXURES)

SLP(C) No. 17190/2023 (XVI)

(IA No. 154420/2023 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING C/C OF THE IMPUGNED JUDGMENT)

SLP(C) No. 17497/2023 (XVI)

(IA No. 158210/2023 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING C/C OF THE IMPUGNED JUDGMENT)

SLP(C) No. 16970/2023 (XVI)

(IA No. 153023/2023 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING C/C OF THE IMPUGNED JUDGMENT

IA No. 158373/2023 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING O.T.

IA No. 28964/2024 - PERMISSION TO FILE ADDITIONAL DOCUMENTS/FACTS/ANNEXURES

IA No. 28459/2024 - PERMISSION TO FILE ADDITIONAL DOCUMENTS/FACTS/ANNEXURES

IA No. 158371/2023 - PERMISSION TO FILE ADDITIONAL DOCUMENTS/FACTS/ANNEXURES)

Date : 23-07-2024 These matters were called on for hearing today.

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

As several issues are pointed out in the present case and detailed arguments are required, we deem it appropriate to grant leave in the present special leave petitions.

Leave granted.

Written submissions not exceeding 7 pages along with relied upon judgments/decisions and other relevant material will be filed within a period of four weeks from today.

List the appeals on 04.09.2024.

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