

ITEM NO.20

COURT NO.1

SECTION PIL-W

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

Writ Petition(s)(Civil) No(s).1000/2022

DR. JAYA THAKUR

Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA &amp; ORS.

Respondent(s)

Date : 24-07-2023 This petition was called on for hearing today.

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

- 1 Ms Aishwarya Bhati, Additional Solicitor General, states that pursuant to the order dated 10 April 2023, responses have been received by the Union government only from governments in Delhi, Haryana, West Bengal and Uttar Pradesh.
- 2 We direct all other States/Union Territories to submit their responses positively by 31 August 2023.

- 3 A copy of this order shall be made available to the Chief Secretaries of the remaining States/Union Territories for compliance.
- 4 The States/Union Territories, which are in default, are placed on notice that should there be any further default in submitting their responses, the Court would be constrained to take recourse to the coercive arm of the law.
- 5 List the proceedings on 6 November 2023.

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