

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF INDIA  
CIVIL ORIGINAL JURISDICTION

**WRIT PETITION (CIVIL) NO. 857 OF 2015**

(Under Article 32 of the Constitution of India)

WITH

**INTERLOCUTORY APPLICATION NO. 1**

(Application for interim directions)

AND

**INTERLOCUTORY APPLICATION NO. 2**

(Application for impleadment as party respondent)

Swaraj Abhiyan

... Petitioner

Versus

Union of India & Ors.

... Respondents

**REVISED OFFICE REPORT**

The Writ Petition alongwith application above-mentioned except I.A. No. 2 was listed before the Hon'ble Court on 04.1.2016 with office report dated 23.12.2015, when the Court was pleased to pass the following order:

“Since the matter pertains to the alleged drought conditions in some districts, we are of the opinion that not more than ten days be granted to file a reply.

Accordingly, we grant ten days to file a reply which should include implantation of our order dated 16.12.2015, the implementation of National Food Security Act, 2013 and the Manual For Drought Management issued by the Ministry of Agriculture, Government of India.

List the matter on 18.01.2016.”

It is submitted that there are 12 respondents and the following Vakalatnama/ Appearance have been filed, so far:

Sl. No.	Mr./Ms.	Filing Date	Filed on
1.	Neeraj Kumar Sharma, Adv.	07.01.2016	Ministry of Agriculture & Farmers Welfare (Respondent No. 1)
2.	Vinay Kumar Garg, Adv.	13.01.2016	State of Uttar Pradesh (Respondent No. 2)
3.	V. N. Raghupathy, Adv.	12.01.2016	State of Karnataka (Respondent No. 4)
4.	G. Prabhakar, Adv.	12.01.2016	State of Andhra Pradesh (Respondent No. 5)
5.	S. Uday Kumar Sagar, Adv.	12.01.2016	State of Telangana (Respondent No. 6)
6.	Hemantika Wahi, Adv.	13.01.2016	State of Gujarat (Respondent No. 8) <b>same is defective as: stamp of signing Authority on Vakalatnama is not given</b>

7.	Sibo Sankar Mishra, Adv.	12.01.2016	State of Odisha (Respondent No. 9)
8.	Gopal Singh, Adv.	14.01.2016	State of Bihar (Respondent No. 11)

Service of notice is complete.

It is next submitted that the following Counter Affidavit have been filed:

Sl. No.	Mr./Ms.	Filing Date	Filed on
1.	Vinay Kumar Garg, Adv.	13.01.2016	State of Uttar Pradesh (Respondent No. 2) <b>is defective as: Copy has not been served upon Union of India and affidavit in support of application for exemption from filing O.T. is not attested)</b>
2.	V. N. Raghupathy, Adv.	12.01.2016	State of Karnataka (Respondent No. 4)
3.	G. Prabhakar, Adv.	12.01.2016	State of Andhra Pradesh (Respondent No. 5)
4.	Hemantika Wahi, Adv.	13.01.2016	State of Gujarat (Respondent No. 8) <b>but same is defective as copy of the same is not served upon Union of India)</b>
5.	Gopal Singh, Adv.	14.01.2016	State of Bihar (Respondent No. 11)
6.	Neeraj Kumar Sharma, Adv.	15.01.2016	Ministry of Agriculture & Farmers Welfare (Respondent No. 1)

All the documents mentioned above at Srl. Nos. 1 to 5 has already been circulated with Office Report dated 15.01.2016 and document mentioned above at Srl. No. 6 is being circulated for the kind perusal of the Hon'ble Court.

It is next submitted that Mr. Prashant Bhushan, Advocate for the petitioner has on 08.01.2016 filed Application seeking impleadment as party respondent to State of Chhattisgarh. The said application has been registered as I.A. No. 2 of 2016 and the same is being circulated for the kind perusal of the Hon'ble Court.

The Writ Petition alongwith application above-mentioned is listed before the Hon'ble Court with this Revised Office Report for Orders.

Dated this the 15<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2016.

Sd/-  
Assistant Registrar