

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JHARKHAND AT RANCHI**

W.P.(S) No. 5156 of 2010

Ashok Kumar Vs. The State of Jharkhand and others

**CORAM: THE HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE DR. S.N.PATHAK**  
**(Through: Video Conferencing)**

For the Petitioner : Ms. Neha Bhardwaj, Advocate  
For the State of Jharkhand : Mr. Suresh Kumar, Advocate  
For the State of Bihar : Mr. S.P. Roy, Advocate

**I.A. No. 1786 of 2019**

**19/17.12.2020** Instant I.A. No. 1786 of 2019 has been filed for certain amendment in the prayer portion of the writ petition. Proposed amendment has been mentioned in paragraph-3 of the interlocutory application.

Ms. Neha Bhardwaj, learned Counsel appearing on behalf of the petitioner very fairly submits that during pendency of the instant writ petition, respondents have filed counter affidavit enclosing notification dated 06.09.2010 and as such, for proper adjudication of the case, challenge has been thrown upon the said notification by filing this interlocutory application, which may form part of the main writ petition. Learned counsel submits that in the circumstances she may be allowed to incorporate prayer and statements as made in paragraphs 3 of the said I.A. No. 1786 of 2019 in the main writ petition.

Learned counsel appearing for the State of Bihar as also State of Jharkhand do not object to the prayer.

In view of submission of learned counsel for the parties, I.A. No. 1786 of 2019 stands allowed. However, since respondent no. 6 has already appeared, no fresh order is required.

Let necessary prayer as mentioned in paragraph-3(a) (v) be incorporated in para-1 and prayer portion of the original writ petition and statements made in paragraph-3(c) be incorporated after paragraph-43 of the main writ petition.

I.A. No. 1786 of 2019 stands disposed of.

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Petitioner is directed to file amended writ petition within a period of two weeks. Respondents may file reply, if any.

As prayed, put up this case in the 1<sup>st</sup> week of February, 2021 under the same heading.

**(Dr. S.N. Pathak, J.)**