

1. F.B.Civil Writ Petition No.2994/1989
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13.8.2015

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HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE AJIT SINGH
HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE VEERENDR SINGH SIRADHANA

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This reference made by a learned Single Judge on 2.8.1989 in a matter of Full Court Resolution is pending for the last 25 years, within which the matter has been nominated and renominated for hearing by the Larger Bench.

Today, when the matter was taken up after a period of 25 years by the Larger Bench nominated on 7.8.2015, we requested the parties to address the Court as to whether the matter is still alive and would require hearing to decide the questions.

A request has been made on behalf of the Bar Association to adjourn the matter as the Members of the Bar Association did not get

sufficient time to prepare the case after it was notified for hearing and that they would endeavour to resolve the issue amicably.

On a preliminary hearing, we find that the questions may require hearing.

An objection was raised that in the public interest litigation for implementation of the Full Court Resolution for relocation of the Statue of Manu, even the Union of India and the State of Rajasthan ought to be impleaded as party to the writ petitions.

On a consideration of the preliminary submissions and considering the questions involved, we are of the view that the Union of India and the State of Rajasthan were necessary parties to the writ petitions.

Let the Union of India through Secretary, Home, Government of India, New Delhi and the State of Rajasthan through Secretary, Home, Government of Rajasthan, Jaipur be impleaded as party-respondents to the writ petitions.

The notices be issued to the Additional Solicitor General representing the Union of India and the Advocate General of the State of Rajasthan. They may file their reply at the earliest.

List these matters for hearing thereafter.

(VEERENDR SINGH SIRADHANA)J.

(AJIT SINGH)J.

(SUNIL AMBWANI)CJ.

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