

HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE FOR RAJASTHAN
BENCH AT JAIPUR

S.B. Civil Miscellaneous Appeal No. 1631/2003

Smt Bharpai And Ors

----Appellant

Versus

Lakshmi Narain And Ors

----Respondent

For Appellant(s)	:	Mr. Kapil Sharma for Mr. Sandeep Mathur
For Respondent(s)	:	Mr. V.P. Mathur

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ASHOK KUMAR JAIN

Order

06/11/2024

1. On 07.04.2015, a Coordinate Bench of this Court has issued certain directions. Thereafter, learned AG appeared in the matter on 14.05.2015.
2. On 04.04.2016, again certain directions were issued and matter was listed on 22.04.2016. Thereafter on 22.04.2016, learned AG was directed to appear and assist in the matter.
3. On 30.09.2016, 02.11.2017, 31.10.2018, 14.11.2018, 13.09.2022, learned AG appeared in pursuant to direction of this Court on 22.04.2016.
4. On 29.02.2024, no one appeared on behalf of State including learned AG. On 15.03.2024, again learned AG has appeared on behalf of State but thereafter on 23.04.2024 and 08.05.2024 learned AAG, Mr. Bharat Vyas appeared on behalf of State.
5. Today, no one is present on behalf of State to assist the Court. It appears that the State has failed to address the Court on the issues raised, on earlier occasion. It is appropriate to adjourn

by imposing cost. The proceedings reflects that the matter is pending for last more than 8 years for compliance of the directions issued by a Coordinate Bench of this Court, which clearly shows negligent attitude by State. It is appropriate to call the Chief Secretary of State to appear in person before this Court to explain the reasons of negligence in the matter.

6. The matter is adjourned at a cost of ₹1 lac recoverable from the State and to be deposited in the cost fund of RSLSA, before next date of hearing.

7. Office is directed to issue notice to the Chief Secretary of the State to appear in person before this Court on 27.11.2024 at 02.00 PM.

(ASHOK KUMAR JAIN),J