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	<u>22.03.2022</u>		WPMS No. 252 of 2022 <u>Hon'ble Sharad Kumar Sharma, J.</u> Mr. Munish Bhardwaj, Advocate, for the petitioners. Mr. T.S. Phartiyal, Addl. CSC, for the State. The petitioner had given a challenge to the order dated 24.12.2021, claiming a right to be rehabilitated since being a relative of the residents, who belonged to gujjar community and are being permitted to reside in the declared reserved forest area. In fact, the residents of the reserved forest area are claiming their right to continue their occupancy over the land of reserve forest under the Act, called as "अनुसूचित जनजाति और अन्य परंपरागत वन निवासी (वन अधिकारों की मान्यता) अधिनियम, 2006". This Court takes suo moto cognizance about the validity of the Act, itself and in its suo moto, exercise of powers, adds a relief to the effect that as to why this Act be not declared as to be the ultra virus to the Constitution of India. The learned Addl. CSC for the State is directed to file counter affidavit to the writ petition within a period of three weeks from today. List thereafter. (Sharad Kumar Sharma, J.) 22.03.2022 Mahinder/