

SL. No	Date	Office Notes, reports, orders or proceedings or directions and Registrar's order with Signatures	COURT'S OR JUDGES'S ORDERS
	30.12.2024		WPIL No. 204 of 2024 <u>Hon'ble G. Narendar, C.J.</u> <u>Hon'ble Manoj Kumar Tiwari, J.</u> Mr. Yogesh Kumar Pacholia and Ms. Sameeksha Negi, learned counsel for the petitioner. 2. Mr. S.N. Babulkar, learned Advocate General assisted by Mr. P.C. Bisht, learned Additional Chief Standing Counsel for the State. 3. Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and the learned Advocate General for the State. 4. In compliance with our order dated 27.12.2024, learned Advocate General places before the Court a joint inspection report. He would submit that the structural evaluation of the barrage was carried out, and the evaluation revealed that the stability of the barrage was precarious, and hence, immediately the authorities have prohibited plying of vehicles and traffic on the said Asan Barrage Bridge, and now the vehicles are plying on an alternative route. 5. The Bench has queried learned Advocate General as to whether measures would be taken to demolish and reconstruct the barrage, for which, learned Advocate General would pray for time to secure instructions. 6. The fact remains that the said barrage was being

used by a large number of motors and other vehicles, and hence, restoration of the said barrage is of importance. That apart, the Bench queried learned Advocate General as to whether it could be feasible to conduct an audit of all bridges within the State which are more than twenty-five years old in keeping with an adage 'it is better to be forewarned than to regret later'. Learned Advocate General submits that he would secure instructions.

7. List on 06.01.2025.

(Manoj Kumar Tiwari, J)

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