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ITEM NO.1

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S U P R E M E C O U R T O F I N D I A
RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS

WRIT PETITION (CIVIL) NO(s). 110 OF 2006

PEOPLE'S RIGHTS & SOCIAL RES.CENTRE &ORS

Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

UNION OF INDIA & ORS.

Respondent(s)

(With appln. for interim directions and permission to file additional documents and directions and exemption from filing O.T. and permission to file additional affidavit and impleadment and office report)
(For final disposal)

Date: 18/02/2014 This Petition was called on for hearing today.

CORAM :

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UPON hearing counsel the Court made the following
O R D E R

I.A. No. 14

Issue notice returnable in four weeks.

I.A. No.17

Issue notice to State of Gujarat as well as State of
Madhya Pradesh returnable in four weeks.

Mr Misra Saurabh, Advocate accepts notice on behalf of the
State of Madhya Pradesh.

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It is brought to our notice that the National Human Rights
Commission after thorough studies issued certain directions to the
Government in its proceedings dated 08.03.2010 and 12.01.2010 and
according to the counsel appearing on behalf of NHRC in spite of
several reminders/proceedings, the State has not responded.

On the next date of hearing, the State of Gujarat is
directed to file a report highlighting their stand about the
proceedings of the NHRC referred above.

The State of Madhya Pradesh is also directed to file their
response within four weeks.

In addition to the above, the State of Madhya Pradesh,
Gujarat, as well as NHRC are directed to respond to various averments
made in I.A.No. 16.

Considering the fact that the issue is prevalent in most
of the States, we intend to hear other States also. Accordingly, we
ourselves implead rest of the States as respondents. Registry is
directed to issue notice to other States returnable in four weeks.
Registry is also directed to serve notice on the standing counsel of
those States.

The newly impleaded respondents/States are directed to
submit their response with reference to the issue raised in these
I.As as well as in the main writ petition within four weeks.

List after four weeks.

Court Master

Assistant Registrar