

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

TRANSFER PETITION (CIVIL.) NO(s). 234 OF 2013

LEGAL SOLUTION & SUPPORT UNIT & ORS. Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

ELECTION COMMISSION & ORS. Respondent(s)
(With appln(s) for permission to bring addl. facts and
documents on record and office report)

Date: 24/10/2013 This Petition was called on for hearing today.

CORAM :

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE A.K. PATNAIK
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SUDHANSU JYOTI MUKHOPADHAYA

For Petitioner(s) Mr. Saurabh S. Sinha, Adv.
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For Respondent(s) Mr. Basant Kr. Choudhary, Sr. Adv.
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UPON hearing counsel the Court made the following
O R D E R

In this transfer petition, the petitioner had prayed for transfer of Misc. Bench No. 7276 (PIL) of 2012 titled Legal Solution & Support Unit Lko. & Ors. Vs. Election Commission Through Chief Election Commissioner & Ors. pending in the Lucknow Bench of the Allahabad High Court to this Court on the ground that the issue raised in the aforesaid petition before the Lucknow Bench of the Allahabad High Court is to be decided by this Court in Lily Thomas Vs. Union of India & Ors. being Writ Petition (Civil) No. 490 of 2005.

This Court has already heard and decided the aforesaid writ petition of Lily Thomas on 10th July, 2013 [reported as 2013 (7) SCC 653]. Hence, the sole ground taken in this transfer petition for transfer of the case to this Court does not survive.

The transfer petition is accordingly dismissed. The Misc. Bench No. 7276 (PIL) of 2012 pending before the Lucknow Bench of the Allahabad High Court may be heard and disposed of by the High Court on its own merits.

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