

ITEM NO.1

COURT NO.1

SECTION IIIA

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

ORIGINAL SUIT No. 3 OF 2004

STATE OF BIHAR

Plaintiff(s)

VERSUS

STATE OF JHARKHAND & ORS.

Respondent(s)

(office report for direction)

WITH

IA No. 4 in SLP(C) NO. 17232 of 2008

(for directions and office report)

Date: 05/05/2014 These suit/IA were called on for hearing today.

CORAM :

HON'BLE THE CHIEF JUSTICE
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UPON hearing counsel the Court made the following
O R D E R

On 3.2.2014, learned senior counsel appearing for the State of Jharkhand stated before the Court that it would be in the interest of everybody that the future expansion of the power project be done jointly by the State of Bihar as well as by State of Jharkhand through a public private partnership and Power Finance Corporation of India.

2. Mr. A.K. Ganguli, learned senior counsel for the State of Bihar submits that the State is agreeable in principle to the proposal made by the State of Jharkhand as recorded in the order dated 3.2.2014.

3. We, accordingly, request the Secretary, Ministry of Power, Government of India to convene a meeting of the Chief Secretaries of the States of Bihar and Jharkhand and also the Chairman of the Power Finance Corporation of India to facilitate them to arrive at the mutual agreed solution for the working of the proposal mooted by the State of Jharkhand and recorded in the order dated 3.2.2014. The report shall be submitted by the Secretary,

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Ministry of Power, Government of India as early as may be possible and preferably within two months from today.

List both matters on 22.7.2014.

(Pardeep Kumar)
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(Renu Diwan)
Court Master