

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

Petition for Special Leave to Appeal (Crl) No.1507/2006
(From the judgment and order dated 05/10/2005 in WPCRL No.942/2005 of the
HIGH COURT OF DELHI AT N. DELHI)

NATIONAL COMMISSION FOR WOMEN Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

GOVT. OF NCT, DELHI & ANR. Respondent(s)

(With appln(s) for stay and office report)

(FOR FINAL DISPOSAL)

WITH

W.P(CRL.) NO. 81 of 2006

(With appln.(s) for directions and office report)

(FOR FINAL DISPOSAL)

Date: 24/07/2013 These Petitions were called on for hearing today.

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JAGDISH SINGH KHEHAR

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UPON hearing counsel the Court made the following

O R D E R

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We have enquired from the learned counsel for the petitioner - the National Commission for Women, whether the girls involved in the two matters, which came up for consideration in the impugned order, who have by now attained majority, have resiled from their earlier statement of consensual matrimony with the accused.

In response, learned counsel for the petitioner states that, in fact, even notice was not issued to them (at the asking of the learned counsel for the petitioner) since the determination sought was not in particular reference to the two cases settled by the High Court.

In view of the above, we are of the view that it would be proper to assume that the two girls had persisted with their earlier stance. Since by now, both the girls have attained majority by efflux of time and there being hardly any justification in creating any matrimonial disharmony in the two families in question, we find no good ground to interfere with the impugned order passed by the High Court. The instant special leave petition is disposed of accordingly.

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List after eight weeks. Instructions, if any, may be obtained, in the meantime.

| (VINOD LAKHINA)
| COURT MASTER

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