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UPON hearing the counsel the Court made the following
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Delay condoned.

The controversy raised in the instant matters need not be gone into in view of the fact that by G.O. Ms. No.9 dated 16.11.2021, Telangana Commission for Backward Classes has been constituted by the Government of Telengana.

The copy of the G.O. submitted by Mr. C.S. Vaidyanathan, learned Senior Advocate, instructed by Mr. P.V. Reddy, learned Advocate for the State of Telangana, is taken on record. The relevant terms as indicated in paragraph 5 and 6 of the G.O. are extracted as under:

"5. In the circumstances stated above, Government after careful examination of the matter, hereby fix the following Terms of References to the Telangana Commission for Backward Classes, as per the Telangana Commission for Backward Classes Act, 1993 (Act.No.:- 20 of 1993):

- I. To study the living conditions, difficulties under which they labour, their occupations and make recommendations as to the special

provisions which may be made by the Government for their advancement and for promotion of their educational and economic interests, generally;

- II. To assess their livelihood based on their traditional occupation, the present status and alternative occupations, if any, and scope for its modernization.
- III. Obtain information from State and Central Government departments, agencies/institutions on percentage of Backward Classes members employed in the Government/Quasi Government/Private Sector.
- IV. Any other important matter relating to their Backwardness of the people of the Backward Classes Communities.
- V. Submit a report to the Government based on the information collected above and gathered during the field studies duly recommending the steps to be taken to remove the impediments for over-all improvement of the Socio- economic and educational conditions of the Backwardness of the Citizens and enhancement of reservations to them, if necessary, in admissions to educational institutions in the State appointments in the public services and posts in connection with the affairs of the State.
- VI. The present Commission shall also act as a dedicated Commission which will conduct contemporaneous, rigorous, empirical enquiry into the nature and implications of the backwardness qua local bodies, within the State in order to specify the proportion of reservation required to be provisioned local body-wise, in light of recommendations of the Commission, as contemplated under the Constitution of India and the law laid down by the Supreme court in this regard.

6. The Member Secretary, Telangana Commission for Backward Classes, Hyderabad shall take necessary further action in the matter accordingly and shall furnish the Commission reports to Government from

time to time.”

In view of this development, nothing further need be done in the matter.

At this stage, certain apprehensions have been expressed by Mr. D. Ramakrishna Reddy, learned Advocate, that as the issues raised in these petitions go to the root of the matter and as certain orders were passed by this Court, the matter must be looked into by the Commission in that perspective.

We are quite clear that the Commission will look into all the relevant aspects and take note of the submissions raised in these petitions, which can also be highlighted through representation by the petitioners. The Commission shall consider the matter as early as possible.

With these observations, we dispose of the present petitions leaving all questions open.

Pending applications also stand disposed of.

(NEETU KHAJURIA)
ASTT. REGISTRAR-cum-PS

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