

SECTION IIA  
IN THE SUPREME COURT OF INDIA  
CRIMINAL APPELLATE JURISDICTION

PETITION FOR SPECIAL LEAVE TO APPEAL(CRL.)NO.7166 OF 2013

WITH

CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS PETITION NOS. 18141 & 18142 OF 2013 & 17940  
OF 2014

(Applications for Exemption from filing official translation &  
bail)

PANCHA MANDAL @ PANCHA NAND MANDAL ...PETITIONER

**VERSUS**

THE STATE OF BIHAR ...RESPONDENT

**OFFICE REPORT**

The matter above-mentioned was listed before the Hon'ble Court on 13<sup>th</sup> January, 2015, when the Court was pleased to pass the following order:-

**"Heard.**

Mr. Gopal Singh, learned counsel for the respondent-State, has filed an affidavit sworn by Senior Superintendent of Police, Bhagalpur, Bihar, who is also present in the Court in-person. Mr. Singh submits that two, out of the four absconding convicts, have been apprehended and committed to jail to serve the remainder of the sentences awarded to them while the other two convicts still remain at large. He further states that disciplinary proceedings against the SHO concerned are in progress and given reasonable time the same shall be concluded and a report submitted to this Court. Mr. Singh also submits that during the intervening period effective steps shall be taken for apprehension of the absconding convicts.

We adjourn these proceedings by two months to be posted again on Monday, the 16th March, 2015 to enable the competent authority to complete the disciplinary/departmental proceedings instituted against SHO and to submit a report to this Court. We direct that during the intervening period Senior Superintendent of Police, Bhagalpur, shall take effective steps for apprehending the absconding convicts and file an affidavit to that effect. He shall also remain present in the Court in-person on the next date of hearing."

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It is submitted that as per direction of the Hon'ble Court, a certified copy of order dated 13<sup>th</sup> January, 2015 was issued to the Registrar, High Court of Judicature at Patna, 4<sup>th</sup> Additional Sessions Judge, Bhagalpur, Bihar & Senior Superintendent of Police of information and compliance.

It is submitted that counsel for the sole respondent-State has filed affidavit of Senior Superintendent of Police, Bhagalpur, Bihar which is being circulated to the Hon'ble Court for kind perusal.

The matter above-mentioned was mentioned before the Hon'ble Court on 13<sup>th</sup> March, 2015, when the Court was pleased to pass the following order:-

**"Post after two weeks."**

Service of show cause notice is complete.

The matter above-mentioned is listed before the Hon'ble Court with this office Report.

DATED this the 1<sup>st</sup> Day Of April, 2015.

ASSISTANT REGISTRAR

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