

**SECTION XIA
IN THE SUPREME COURT OF INDIA
CIVIL APPELLATE JURISDICTION**

**PETITION FOR SPECIAL LEAVE TO APPEAL (CIVIL) Nos.
13030-13031 AND 13033-13034 OF 2016**

**WITH
PRAYER FOR INTERIM RELIEF.**

STATE OF KERALA AND ORS.

...Petitioners

VERSUS

FR. JOSE KANDATHIL

....Respondents

OFFICE REPORT

The matters above-mentioned were listed before the Court of Ld. Registrar on 17th November, 2016, when the following Order was passed:-

“SLP(C) Nos.13030-13031/2016

**Await the return of the service of notice
already issued to the sole respondent.**

SLP(C) No. 13033-13034/2016

**The respondent Nos. 1 & 2 have failed to
file the counter affidavit within the period
stipulated under the rules. Service of notice is
complete on the respondent No. 5, but no one has
entered appearance on his behalf.**

**Await the return of service of notice already
issued to the respondent Nos. 2 & 4.**

List the matter again on 03.01.2017.”

SLP (C) Nos. 13030-13031 of 2016

It is submitted for the information of the Court of Ld. Registrar that Mr. Ramesh Babu M.R, Advocate has filed Vakalatnama/Appearance on behalf of sole respondent but has not filed the counter-affidavit so far.

Service of show cause notice is complete.

SLP (C) Nos. 13033-13034 of 2016

It is submitted for the information of the Ld. Registrar that Counsel for Respondent Nos. 1 and 2 has on 23.11.2016 filed the counter-affidavit. Mr. Ramesh Babu M.R, Advocate has filed Vakalatnama/Appearance on behalf of