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R E C O R D O F P R O C E E D I N G S

Civil Appeal No(s). 4751-4752/2011

V. LAKSHMIKANTHAN AND ANR. ETC.

Appellant(s)

VERSUS

UNION OF INDIA AND ORS. ETC.

Respondent(s)

Date : 25-10-2017 These appeals were called on for hearing today.

CORAM :

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE KURIAN JOSEPH  
HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE R. BANUMATHIFor Appellant(s) Mr. C.K. Chandrasekhar, Adv.  
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Mr. Vijay Kumar, AORUPON hearing the counsel the Court made the following  
O R D E RWe direct the respondent/The Chairman, Railway Board, New  
Delhi to file an affidavit and clarify the following:-

1. As to why the Limited Departmental Competitive Examination was cancelled in the year 2001 and what was the reason for delay in conducting the examination till 2005.
2. It shall be clarified as to whether the Railway Board follows vacancy-based roster or post-based roster.
3. It shall be clarified as to whether the Railway Board has

followed post-based roster in any other vacancy after 15.7.2005.

4. It shall also be clarified as to how the vacancy arose in the post of Assistant Engineer so as to make the vacancy-based promotion in the category of Scheduled Castes.

Post on 22.11.2017 at 11.30 A.M.

The Chief Personnel Officer/Deputy Chief Personnel Officer, who is conversant with the fact of this case, shall remain personally present before this Court with the records on the next date of hearing, to assist the Court.

(NARENDRA PRASAD)  
COURT MASTER

(RENU DIWAN)  
ASST. REGISTRAR