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SLP(C)No. 20821 OF 1997

ITEM No.2

Court No. 1

SECTION XIV
A/N MATTER

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

Petition(s) for Special Leave to Appeal (Civil) No.20821/1997

(From the judgement and order dated 08/05/1997 in CWP 1912/95
of The HIGH COURT OF DELHI AT N. DELHI)

INDIAN COUNCIL OF LEGAL AID & ADVICE

Petitioner (s)

VERSUS

U O I & ORS
(With prayer for interim relief and Office Report)
(For Final Disposal)

Respondent (s)

Date : 01/03/2001 This Petition was called on for hearing today.

CORAM :

HON'BLE THE CHIEF JUSTICE
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE R.C. LAHOTI
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE BRIJESH KUMAR

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UPON hearing counsel the Court made the following
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States of Andhra Pradesh, Bihar, Gujarat, Karnataka, Manipur, Madhya Pradesh, and Sikkim as well as the Union Territories of Daman & Diu, Lakshadweep, and Dadar Nagar & Haveli have filed counter affidavits.

Learned counsel for the petitioner on his oral prayer is permitted to serve the Standing counsel for the States of Chattisgarh, Uttranchal and Jharkhand. Notice shall indicate that they may file their counter within four weeks from the date of service of the notice on them.

Learned counsel for the State of Kerala prays for and is granted four weeks' time to file counter affidavit. Any other State/Union Territory, which would like to file counter affidavit, shall also file counter affidavit during the same period failing which it shall be presumed that they have nothing to say against the Scheme (as mentioned in the order dt. 8.9.1998).

Learned counsel for the petitioner shall, after the counters are filed by the State of Kerala, Chattisgarh, Uttranchal and Jharkhand as well as others, prepare in a tabular form, responses from various States/Union Territories to the Scheme and file it in the Court within six weeks.

Post for directions after seven weeks.

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(Kanchan Jain)
AR-cum-PS

(Prem Prakash)
Court Master