

SUPREME COURT OF INDIA  
RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS

WRIT PETITION (CIVIL) NO(s). 659 OF 2007

ENVIRONMENT &amp; CONSUMER PROT.N.FOUNDATION

Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

UNION OF INDIA &amp; ORS.

Respondent(s)

(With office report )

Date: 14/11/2008 This Petition was called on for hearing today.

CORAM :

HON'BLE THE CHIEF JUSTICE

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE P. SATHASIVAM

For Petitioner(s) Mr. Ravindra Bana,Adv.

For Respondent(s) Mrs. Shobha Dixit, Sr. Adv.  
Ms. Savitri Pandey, Adv.  
Mr. Gunnam Venkateswara Rao ,AdvUPON hearing counsel the Court made the following  
ORDER

The order earlier passed by this Court deleting respondent no.3 from party array is revived. Issue notice to Respondent no.3 -National Commission for Women. The petitioner submits that there are large number of widows at Vrindavan, Mathura U.P. Various welfare organisations are helping them but still their condition is miserable and requires assistance from the State as well as from other voluntary organisations. To get a fair and detailed information about these widows, we request the National Commission for Women to have a comprehensive survey of the problem and file a report to this Court at least within a period

of three months. The District Collector and other officials shall render all assistance to the National Commission for Women to prepare this report.

The report should contain the age group of widows, their family background and all other other information which are materially relevant for the purpose of this case. Copy of complete set of paper book also be furnished to the National Commission for Women along with this Order for taking further action in the matter.

List after three months.

(R.K.DHAWAN)  
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