

S U P R E M E C O U R T O F I N D I A  
R E C O R D O F P R O C E E D I N G S

Writ Petition(s) (Civil) No(s). 659/2007

THE ENVIRONMENT AND CONSUMER  
PROTECTION FOUNDATION ETC.

Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

UNION OF INDIA & ORS. Respondent(s)  
(FOR [APPLICATION FOR DIRECTIONS] ON IA 2/2012  
FOR [PERMISSION TO FILE ADDITIONAL DOCUMENTS] ON IA 3/2012  
FOR INTERVENTION APPLICATION [APPLICATION FOR INTERVENTION] ON IA  
4/2016)

WITH

W.P.(C) No. 168/2012 (PIL-W)

W.P.(C) No. 133/2012 (PIL-W)

Date : 09-10-2017 These matters were called on for hearing today.

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UPON perusing papers the Court made the following

O R D E R

The learned Solicitor General has told us that letters have been written to the State Governments but the response has been received only from three States. We make it clear that this matter has to be taken up very seriously by the State Governments failing which we may have to take some action including seeking an explanation from the concerned Secretary in the State Government dealing with women's welfare along with payment of heavy costs.

The Secretary in the Ministry of Women and Child Development should convey our sentiments to the State Governments.

The learned Solicitor General should also inform us whether the State Commission for Women is actually existing in all the State Governments and if not, then a communication to the State Governments be sent to ensure that these State Commissions for

Women should be in place in accordance with the statute.

The learned Solicitor General says that he will file an affidavit on the Agreed Action Plan. Needful be done within six weeks from today.

Ms. Aparna Bhat, learned counsel appearing on behalf of the National Commission for Women says that the Committee has been doing its work as far as she is aware. It appears that perhaps no extension will be required for the Committee to complete its work.

List the matters on 06.12.2017.

Liberty is granted to NALSA to file its status report.

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