

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF INDIA
CIVIL APPELLATE JURISDICTION

PETITION FOR SPECIAL LEAVE TO APPEAL (C) NO. 22912 OF 2014

WITH

INTERLOCUTORY APPLICATION NO. 1

(Application for condonation of delay in filing the SLP)

Union of India and Ors.

.....Petitioners

-Versus-

Bharat Foods Co-operative Ltd.

.....Respondent

OFFICE REPORT

The matter above-mentioned was listed before the Hon'ble Court on 19th August, 2014, when the Court was pleased to pass the following order:-

“Issue notice on the application for condonation of delay and so also special leave petition, returnable in ten weeks.

Dasti, in addition to the ordinary process, is permitted.”

Accordingly, show cause notice returnable on 3rd November, 2014 was issued to sole respondent through Registered A.D. Post on 12th September, 2014.

The office report with regard to completing the service of show cause notice and filing of Counter Affidavit was listed before the Ld. Registrar Court on 3rd November, 2014, when the following order was passed:-

“Mr. Ashwani Kumar, Ld. Counsel appears for the sole respondent. He seeks and is given four weeks time to file the vakalatnama. Ld. Counsel has stated that the copies of the pleadings have not been provided to him by the petitioners. Ld. Counsel for the petitioners is directed to provide the copies of the pleadings to the Ld. Counsel for the sole respondent within a week's time and file proof. Ld. Counsel for the sole respondent shall file the counter affidavit within a period of four weeks thereafter.

List again on 16.01.2015.”

It is submitted that Mr. Ashwani Kumar, Advocate, has on 24th November, 2014 filed Vakalatnama/Appearance on behalf of the sole respondent.

The office report with regard to not filing of Counter Affidavit was again listed before the Ld. Registrar Court on 21st January, 2015 when the following order was passed:

“Ld. Counsel for the sole respondent seeks and is given four weeks time as last chance to file the counter affidavit. List again on 24.03.2015.”

It is submitted that Counsel for the sole respondent has on 10th March, 2015 filed Counter Affidavit on behalf of sole respondent. Copies of the Counter Affidavit have been included in the Paper Books.

The matter is listed before the Hon'ble Court with this office report.

Dated this the 12th Day of June, 2015.

ASSISTANT REGISTRAR

Copy to:-

1. Mr. B.K. Prasad, Advocate
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ASSISTANT REGISTRAR

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