

ITEM NO.11

COURT NO.2

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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). 4677/1985

M.C.MEHTA

Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

UNION OF INDIA & ORS.

Respondent(s)

((1) IA NO. 2603/2014 (APPLN. FOR MODIFICATION/CLARIFICATION ON BEHALF OF STATE OF HARYANA)

(2) IA NOS. 2606/2014 AND 2607/2014 (APPLNS. FOR IMPLEADMENT AND DIRECTION ON BEHALF OF KAPILA MODI AND ORS.)

(3) IA NOS. 2608/2014 AND 2609/2014 (APPLNS. FOR IMPLEADMENT AND DIRECTION ON BEHALF OF RAJENDER YADAV AND ORS.)

(4) IA NO. 2610/2014 AND 2611/2014 (APPLNS. FOR IMPLEADMENT AND DIRECTIONS ON BEHALF OF S.S AND COMPANY AND ORS.)

(5) IA NO. 1967/2006 (APPLN. FOR MODIFICATION ON BEHALF OF RAMAN KR. SETHI AND ANR.) IN W.P. (C) NO. 4677/1985

(6) IA D NO.75191/2009, 2484/2010, 2527/2011, IA NO.2582/2013 AND IA NO.43525/2021- FOR MODIFICATION OF ORDER DATED 08.10.2009, PERMISSION TO FILE REPLY AFFIDAVIT AND FOR DIRECTIONS B/O M/S RAMAN KUMAR SETHI & ANR.

(7) IA NO.2579/2013 - APPLICATION FOR DIRECTION ON B/O S.P. SETHI & ORS.

(8) IA NO.32531/2021 - APPLICATION SEEKING PERMISSION TO FILE SHORT CONVENIENCE VOLUME ON BEHALF OF STATE OF HARYANA

(9) IA NOS.35779, 35781/2021- APPLICATIONS SEEKING PERMISSION TO FILE ADDITIONAL AFFIDAVIT AND EXEMPTION TO FILE ORIGINAL NOTARISED ADDITIONAL AFFIDAVIT ON BEHALF OF STATE OF HARYANA

Date : 21-03-2023 These applications were called on for hearing today.

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UPON hearing the counsel the Court made the following
O R D E R

Learned Amicus points out that on examination of the matter the following cases over which the Committee had some concern whether they can be dealt with or not can be sent back for examination by the Committee. We concur.

The details are as under:-

Applications covered by the mandate to the Ld.

Judicial Committee

S. No. (as in the list)	I.A. Number
12, 12 A	40933 & 40934/2022
14, 14A	133161 & 133170/2019
15, 15A	120793, 120796 & 121544/2020
16	168020 & 168023/2019
17, 17.1, 17A-C	50339 & 50336/2018, 178768/18 In I.A. No.50336 & 50339/2018, 4920/19 In I.A. No.50339 & 50336/2018
40 to 40.1G	2768/2016
44	53309, 53314/2022
68	156742/2021

Learned Amicus further submits that there are some other cases also pending and examined which can be covered by the mandate of the Judicial Committee.

The details are as under:-

Applications to be heard by the Judicial Committee

S. No.	I.A. Number
1	170322/2022
2	1.102267/2022 2.103541/2022
3	65053/2022
4	175810/2022 and 175812/2022
5	166888/2021 and 112419/2022
6	W.P.(C) No.992/2020*

Ordered accordingly.

The aforesaid files to be sent to the Committee.

***WRIT PETITION [C] NO.992/2020**

At joint request this Writ Petition be registered as an application under the present proceedings and be transferred accordingly.

IA NO.78530/2020

It is mentioned that this IA has apparently been sent back by the Committee along with other connected applications dealing with the Master Plan. The applicant submits that this application is not concerned with the issue of Master Plan and thus, can be examined by the Committee *de hors* the other applications which have been sent back.

Ordered accordingly.

IN RE: HARYANA MINING MATTERS

On the conspectus of what has been submitted before us, we are of the view that the appropriate

course of action would be to first hear the application of the Haryana Government. To facilitate an effective hearing, any of the stake holders who are before us may obtain a copy of that application and other pleadings/orders *qua* that application from the counsel for the State. We have made it clear that all the applications under this general heading will remain pending and after we decide this application, what application survives and in what manner will be considered. In the meantime, for facilitating deciding of those applications, learned Amicus would assist the Registry in making a chart of the other applications and relief sought.

In order to facilitate hearing of that application, the pleadings/orders of that application and any material which any of the party seeks to rely upon should be made into a convenience compilation and that compilation alone will be taken into account.

List on 25.04.2023 at 2 p.m.

Listing of the remaining applications will be in predicated on the decision on the aforesaid applications.

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