

ITEM NO.301

COURT NO.4

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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). 4677/1985

M.C.MEHTA

Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

UNION OF INDIA &amp; ORS.

Respondent(s)

(In RE.: SEALING ISSUE(1) STATUS OF GROUND WATER(2) IA NO. 43487/2018 (APPLN. FOR DIRECTIONS ON B/O GOVT. OF NCT OF DELHI) ALONGWITH REPORT NO. 123 SUBMITTED BY MONTIROING COMMITTE(3) IN RE: RELOCATION OF INDUSTRIES IN DELHIPROGRESS REPORT BY THE MONITORING COMMITTEE APPOINTED BY THIS HON'BLE COURT(4) IA NO. 183741 AND 183744/2018 (APPLNS. FOR INTERVENTION AND DIRECTIONS ON B/O RURAL AREA MANUFACTURER ASSOCIATION AND ANR.)IN W.P. (C) NO. 4677/1985 "ONLY" ARE LISTED)

Date : 04-02-2019 This petition was called on for hearing today.

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

**STATUS OF GROUND WATER**

The learned counsel appearing on behalf of the Govt. of NCT of Delhi has prayed for a week's time to file the requisite affidavit.

Prayer is allowed.

List after one week.

The application shall be heard along with W.P.(C) No. 4677/1985 challenging the validity of the Master Plan.

IN RE : RELOCATION OF INDUSTRIES IN DELHI

Perused the 50<sup>th</sup> Progress Report of the Monitoring Committee.

It is pointed out in the affidavit of Mr. Puneet Kumar Goel that in the first step, 21960 industrial units were closed down and water and electricity supply has been disconnected with respect of them. However, in the second step, 30000 similar units have been closed down, but water and electricity supply are yet to be disconnected.

The learned counsel appearing for the NCT of Delhi has prayed for four weeks' time to disconnect the water and electricity supply. The prayer is allowed.

Let water and electricity be disconnected within four weeks' from today and compliance be reported to this Court.

The learned counsel appearing for the Municipal Corporations submitted that there are prayers to temporarily de-seal the units to permit the persons who were running these units to take away the equipments lying in the premises.

In the cases where water and electricity has already been disconnected, the premises may be opened temporarily for 48 hours for taking away the equipments and sealed again after 48 hours and no operation takes place. The Incharge Engineer as well as the Assistant Commissioner of the area concerned shall be personally responsible in case of any violation of this order.

List after four weeks.

**I.A.Nos. 183741 & 183744 of 2018**

We are not inclined to entertain these applications. The applications are, accordingly, dismissed.

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