

ITEM NO.16

COURT NO.1

SECTION PIL-W

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IA Nos.2768, 2798, 2799-2800, 2801-2802, 2803-2804, 2805-2806, 2807-2808, 58723 & 58725 of 2017, IA Nos.44517, 59064, 70944 & 63927 of 2017 in I.A.Nos.2786-2787 in I.A.No.22 in Writ Petition (C) No.4677/1985

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Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

UNION OF INDIA & ORS.

Respondent(s)

(For directions on behalf of Monitoring Committee and permission & extension of time, with office report for directions)

Date : 18-08-2017 These matters were called on for hearing today.

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

I.A.No.2768/2017 (For directions on behalf of
Monitoring Committee :

Additional affidavit filed on behalf of South Delhi
Municipal Corporation is taken on record.

Mr. A.D.N. Rao, learned amicus curiae, seeks a short
adjournment, so as to enable him to respond to the
affidavit and to make necessary suggestion in the matter.

Prayer is allowed.

Reply be filed within two weeks from today, including
proposed suggestion. Post for hearing thereafter.

Interlocutory Application Nos.2798/2017, 2799-2800, 2801-2802, 2803-2804, 2805-2806 & 2807-2808, 44517, 58723 and 58725, 63927, 59064 and 70944 of 2017 (For permission and extension of time) :

The applications seeking permission to file application for extension of time are allowed.

The applicants have approached this Court seeking an extension of time, so as to approach the concerned Tribunal/Authority, on account of the fact, that the concerned Tribunal/Authority was not approached within the stipulated 30 days' time, or the extended time permitted by this Court.

Having given our thoughtful consideration to the issue in hand, we hereby extend the period to the applicants to approach the concerned Tribunal/Authority by two weeks from today, and the delay in approaching the Tribunal/Authority is condoned. The above-mentioned relief is being granted to the applicants, subject to payment of Rs.1 lakh (Rupees One Lakh only) each, as costs. The above-mentioned costs shall be deposited by the applicants, with the Supreme Court Advocates-on-Record Welfare Trust, within two weeks from today. The concerned Tribunal/Authority will entertain the claim of the petitioner(s) only on receipt of proof of the payment of costs as indicated above.

The interlocutory applications are allowed, in the above terms.

(Sarita Purohit)
Court Master

(Renuka Sadana)
Assistant Registrar