

ITEM NO.501

COURT NO.1

SECTION PIL-W

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 (Civil) No.494/2012

JUSTICE K.S. PUTTASWAMY (RETD.) AND ANR.

Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

UNION OF INDIA AND ORS.

Respondent(s)

(With appln.(s) for impleading party, clarification/direction and intervention)

WITH W.P.(C) No.833/2013 (PIL-W)

W.P.(C) No.829/2013 (PIL-W)

(With appln.(s) for intervention and permission to appear and argue in person)

W.P.(C) No.932/2013 (PIL-W)

W.P.(C) No.37/2015 (PIL-W)

W.P.(C) No.220/2015 (PIL-W)

W.P.(C) No.231/2016 (PIL-W)

(With appln.(s) for direction and permission to amend writ petition and raising additional grounds)

W.P.(C) No.797/2016 (PIL-W)

(With appln.(s) for permission to file Annexures, directions and stay)

W.P.(C) No.342/2017 (PIL-W)

(With appln.(s) for clarification/direction, impleading party, intervention and grant of interim relief)

W.P.(C) No.372/2017 (X)

W.P.(C) No.841/2015 (X)

(With appln.(s) for amendment of the petition)

W.P.(C) No.1058/2017 (PIL-W)

W.P.(C) No.966/2017 (PIL-W)

(With appln.(s) for grant of interim relief)

W.P.(C) No.1014/2017 (PIL-W)

(With appln.(s) for grant of interim relief, impleading party and interim relief)

W.P.(C) No.1002/2017 (PIL-W)

W.P.(C) No.1056/2017 (X)

(With appln.(s) for permission to file additional documents)

S.L.P.(Cr1) No.2524/2014 (II-A)

T.C.(C) No.151/2013 (XVI -A)

T.C.(C) No.152/2013 (XVI -A)

T.P.(C) No.1797/2013 (XVI -A)

T.P.(C) No.1796/2013 (XVI -A)

T.P.(C) No.313/2014 (XVI -A)

T.P.(C) No.312/2014 (XVI -A)

T.P.(C) No.921/2015 (XVI -A)

CONMT.PET.(C) No.144/2014 In W.P.(C) No.494/2012 (PIL-W)

CONMT.PET.(C) No.674/2015 In W.P.(C) No.829/2013 (PIL-W)

CONMT.PET.(C) No.470/2015 In W.P.(C) No.494/2012 (PIL-W)

CONMT.PET.(C) No.444/2016 In W.P.(C) No.494/2012 (PIL-W)

CONMT.PET.(C) No.608/2016 In W.P.(C) No.494/2012 (PIL-W)

CONMT.PET.(C) No.844/2017 In W.P.(C) No.494/2012 (PIL-W)

CONMT.PET.(C) No.34/2018 In W.P.(C) No.1014/2017

Date : 19-04-2018 This petition was called on for hearing today.

CORAM :

HON'BLE THE CHIEF JUSTICE
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE A.K. SIKRI
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE A.M. KHANWILKAR
HON'BLE DR. JUSTICE D.Y. CHANDRACHUD
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ASHOK BHUSHAN

For Petitioner(s) Mr. Anish Kumar Gupta, AOR
Mr. Avdhesh Kumar Singh, Adv.
Mr. Rajendra Kumar Singh, Adv.
Mrs. Rita Gupta, Adv.
Ms. Deepshikha Bharati, Adv.
Ms. Harsha, Adv.

Mr. P.R. Kovilan, Adv.
Mrs. Geetha Kovilan, AOR
Mr. Awasthi M.K., Adv.

Mr. Rahul Narayan, AOR

Mr. Shadan Farasat, AOR

Mr. Pratap Venugopal, Adv.
Ms. Surekha Raman, Adv.
Mr. anuj Sarma, Adv.
Mr. Udayaditya Banerjee, Adv.
Ms. Niharika, Adv.
Ms. Samiksha godiyal, Adv.
Ms. Kanika Kalaiyarasan, Adv.
Mr. Prasanna S., Adv.
M/s. K J John And Co, AOR

M/s. Meharia & Company

Ms. Jyoti Mendiratta, AOR

Ms. Aishwarya Bhati, AOR
Mr. Jaideep Singh, Adv.

Mr. Anirben Sen, Adv.
Mr. Chitragada Rashtravede, Adv.
Mr. Gopal Thiruman, Adv.
Mr. Pavan Bhushan, Adv.
Mr. Jayavardhan Singh, Adv.
Ms. Vaidruti Mishra, Adv.
Ms. Tanuja Patra, Adv.
Mr. Vishwajeet Singh, Adv.
Mr. Dashrath Singh, Adv.

Ms. Archana Pathak Dave, AOR

Mr. Shyam Divan, Sr. Adv.
Mr. Abhishek Atrey, AOR
Ms. Vidyottma, Adv.

Mr. Gautam Talukdar, AOR

Mr. Prashant Bhushan, AOR

Mr. Vipin Nair, AOR

Mr. Pranaya Kumar Mohapatra, AOR

Mr. Suhaan Mukerji, Adv.
Ms. Astha Sharma, Adv.
Mr. Vishal Prasad, Adv.
Mr. Amit Verma, Adv.
Mr. Harsh Hiroo Gorsahani, Adv.
M/s. PLR Chambers and Co.

Mr. Anando Mukherjee, AOR

Mr. Koshy John, Adv.
Md. Nizam Pasha, Adv.
Ms. Anusha Nagarajan, Adv.
Mr. Adit Pujari, Adv.
Ms. Pragya Baghel, AOR
Ms. Ranjeeta Rohatgi, Adv.
Ms. Samten Doma, Adv.

Mr. Deepayan Mandal, AOR

Mr. T.V.S. Raghavendra Sreyas, AOR

Petitioner-in-person

For Respondent(s)

Mr. K.K. Venugopal, AG
Mr. Tushar Mehta, ASG
Mr. Zoheb Hossain, Adv.
Mr. Ankur Talwar, Adv.
Ms. Shraddha Deshmukh, Adv.

Charanya L., Adv.
Mr. Rohit Bhat, Adv.
Mr. Rajat Nair, Adv.
Mr. Kanu Aggarwal, Adv.
Ms. Adeeba Mujahid, Adv.
Mr. Rajendra Dangwal, Adv.
Mr. Piyush Goyal, Adv.
Mr. Palash Maheshwari, Adv.
Mr. Fahad Khan, Adv.
Ms. Bhavita Kumar, Adv.
Mr. Vivek Gurnani, Adv.
Ms. Priyanka Walesha, Adv.
Mr. Harish V. Shankar, Adv.
Ms. Rukhmini Bobde, Adv.
Mr. S.S. Shamsery, Adv.
Mr. R. Bala Subramaniam, Adv.
Mr. Raj Bahadur, Adv.
Mr. M.K. Maroria, Adv.

Ms. Bina Madhavan, Adv.
Ms. Swati Bhardwaj, Adv.
Ms. Ramandeep Kaur, Adv.
Ms. Shreyasi Kunwar, Adv.
M/s. Lawyer S Knit & Co.

M/s. Meharia & Company

Mr. E. C. Agrawala, AOR

Mr. Milind Kumar, AOR

Ms. Aishwarya Bhati, AOR

Mr. M. Shoeb Alam, AOR
Ms. Fauzia Shakil, Adv.
Mr. Ujjwal Singh, Adv.
Mr. Mojahid Karim Khan, Adv.

Mr. Dinkar Kalra, AOR

Mr. Gopal Singh, AOR

Ms. Rashmi Singhanian, AOR

Mr. Jayant Bhushan, Sr. Adv.
Mr. Kuldeep S. Parihar, Adv.
Mr. H. S. Parihar, AOR
Mr. Tusar Bhusan, Adv.
Mr. Ketan Paul, Adv.

Mr. Mohit D. Ram, AOR

Mr. S. Udaya Kumar Sagar, AOR
Mr. Mrityunjai Singh, Adv.

Mr. Guntur Prabhakar, AOR
Ms. Prerna Singh, Adv.

Mr. Tapesk Kumar Singh, AOR
Mr. Mohd. Waquas, Adv.
Mr. Aditya Pratap Singh, Adv.

Mr. Gopal Sankaranarayanan, Adv.
Ms. Savita Singh, AOR

Mr. Jayant Mohan, AOR

Mr. Sanjay Kapur, AOR

Mr. Nishant Ramakantrao Katneshwarkar, AOR

Mr. Ranjan Mukherjee, AOR
Mr. Daniel Stone Lyngdoh, Adv.

Mr. T. G. Narayanan Nair, AOR

Mr. V. G. Pragasam, AOR
Mr. S. Prabu Ramasubramanian, Adv.
Mr. S. Manuraj, Adv.

Mr. Jagjit Singh Chhabra, AOR

Mr. Jatinder Kumar Bhatia, AOR

Mr. Abhinav Mukerji, AOR

Mr. Mishra Saurabh, AOR

Mr. Manish Vashishtha, AOR

Mr. Sanjay Kumar Visen, AOR

Ms. Ruchi Kohli, AOR

Mr. Manoj K. Mishra, AOR

M/s. Arputham Aruna And Co.

Mr. Varinder Kumar Sharma, AOR

M/s. Corporate Law Group

Mr. Aniruddha P. Mayee, AOR

Mr. Garvesh Kabra, AOR

Mr. Harish Pandey, AOR

Mr. Ashok Mathur, AOR

Mr. R. Sudhinder, Adv.

Ms. Saumya Mehrotra, Adv.

Mrs. Anil Katiyar, AOR

Mr. Anip Sachthey, AOR

Mr. Rakesh Dwivedi, Sr. Adv.

Mr. Zoheb Hossain, Adv.

Ms. Sansriti Pathak, Adv.

Mr. Rajendra Dangwal, Adv.

Mr. Rakesh Dwivedi, Sr. Adv.

Mr. Zoheb Hossain, Adv.

Ms. Sansriti Pathak, Adv.

Ms. Hemantika Wahi, AOR

Ms. Shodhika Sharma, Adv.

Ms. Anitha Shenoy, AOR

Dr. (Mrs.) Vipin Gupta, AOR

Mr. Chanchal Kumar Ganguli, AOR

Intervenor-in-person, AOR

Mr. Amit Sharma, AOR

Applicant-in-person, AOR

Ms. Pallavi Pratap, AOR

Mr. Jogy Scaria, AOR

Mr. Wills Mathews, Adv.

Shaji Sebastian, Adv.

Mr. Rabin Majumder, AOR

M/s. Khaitan & Co.

Mr. Harsh Kaushik, AOR

Mr. K. R. Sasiprabhu, AOR

Mrs. Pragya Baghel, AOR

Dr. Lalit Bhasin, Adv.

Mr. Mudit Sharma, AOR

Mr. Devadatt Kamat, Adv.
Mr. Joseph Aristotle S., Adv.
Mrs. Priya Aristotle, Adv.
Mr. Rajesh Inamdar, Adv.
Mr. Javedur Rehman, Adv.
Mr. Aditya Bhat, Adv.

Mr. Anil Grover, Adv.
Ms. Noopur Singhal, Adv.
Mr. Shivam Kumar, Adv.
Mr. Sanjay Kr. Visen, Adv.

Mr. Edward Belho, Adv.
Ms. K. Enatoli Sema, Adv.
Mr. Amit Kumar Singh, Adv.
Mr. K. Luikang Michael, Adv.
Mr. Z.H. Isaac Haiding, Adv.

Mr. Leishangthan Roshmani Kh., Adv.
Ms. Maibam Babina, Adv.

Mr. Bhupesh Narula, Adv.
Mr. K.V. Jagdishvaran, Adv.
Mrs. G. Indira, Adv.

Ms. Resmitha R. Chandran, Adv.
Ms. Lekha Sudhakaran, Adv.

Mr. K.V. Vijaya Kumar, Adv.
Ms. Maitrayee Mishra, Adv.
Kiran Karan Chawla, Adv.

Mr. K.N. Madhusoodhanan, Adv.
Ms. Nitya Madhusoodhanan, Adv.
Mr. T.G.N. Nair, Adv.

Mr. Syed Jafar Alam, Adv.
Ms. Shivani Khandekar, Adv.
Mr. Thomas J. Vallianeth, Adv.

Mr. Shovodeep Roy, Adv.
Mr. Rituraj Biswas, Adv.
Mr. Sayooj Mohandas M., Adv.

Ms. Radhika Chaturvedi, Adv.
Mr. Hitesh Kumar Sharma, Adv.
Mr. S.K. Rajora, Adv.

Mr. Karan Bharihoke, Adv.

Mr. Nishe Rajen Shonkar, Adv.
Ms. Anu K. Joy, Adv.
Mr. Manav Vohra, Adv.
Mr. Krishna Dev J., Adv.
Mr. Mohammed Sadique T.A., Adv.
Ms. Svadha Shankar, Adv.
Mr. Amith Krishna, Adv.
Mr. Alim Anvar, Adv.

Mr. Sriram P., Adv.
Ms. Khushbu Jain, Adv.
Mr. Vishnu Shankar, Adv.
Ms. Athira G. Nair, Adv.

Dr. Anindita Pujari, Adv.
Ms. Kavita Bhardwaj, Adv.

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

Mr. Rakesh Dwivedi, learned counsel appearing for the Unique Identification Authority of India (UIDAI) continued his argument, which remained inconclusive.

Let the matter be listed for further hearing on 24th April, 2018. As assured by Mr. Dwivedi, he will not argue beyond 1.00 p.m. on 25th April, 2018.

(Chetan Kumar)
Court Master

(H.S. Parasher)
Assistant Registrar