

S U P R E M E C O U R T O F I N D I A
RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS

Petition(s) for Special Leave to Appeal (Civil) No(s).10836-10837/2011

(From the judgement and order dated 24/03/2011 in WPC No.1222/2011 & WPC No.1223/2011 of the HIGH COURT OF BOMBAY AT NAGPUR)

WESTERN COALFIELDS & ANR

Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

HIND STEEL & ORS.

Respondent(s)

(With appln(s) for exemption from filing O.T., intervention, permission to place addl. documents on record, prayer for interim relief and office report)

Date: 19/09/2011 These Petitions were called on for hearing today.

CORAM :

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE AFTAB ALAM
HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE RANJANA PRAKASH DESAI

For Petitioner(s)

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

In pursuance of the order dated July 18, 2011, an
affidavit is filed which is affirmed by one Shri Ashok
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Prabhakar Dharmadhikari, who has purportedly been authorized by the Principal Secretary, Industries, to affirm and file the affidavit in Court.

This is not what we had expected. Notice was issued to the Chief Secretary, State of Maharashtra, as this Court expected that his involvement in the matter would help in finding a reasonable and practical solution to the dispute between the Western Coalfields and the Industries Department of the State Government. This Court had not expected an adversarial stance on the issue. We refuse to take cognizance of the afore-mentioned affidavit and expect the Chief Secretary to file an affidavit in the matter. We may note here that Miss Aparajita Singh, learned counsel, wishes to produce before us a copy of the minutes of the meeting held on August 23, 2011. A copy of the minutes

may, if so advised, be enclosed with the affidavit of the
Chief Secretary.

Put up after four weeks.

(N.S.K. Kamesh)
Court Master

(S.S.R. Krishna)
Court Master