

SECTION IIB

**IN THE SUPREME COURT OF INDIA
CRIMINAL APPELLANT JURISDCITION**

CRIMINAL APPEAL NO 1581 OF 2013
WITH
SPECIAL LEAVE PETITION (CRL.) NO.3779 OF 2014

STATE OF HARYANA AND ETC. ...APPELLANT(S)

VERSUS

BIRA @ BHIRA AND ETC. ...RESPONDENT(S)

OFFICE REPORT

The matters above-mentioned were listed before the Hon'ble Court on 07.02.2017, when the following order was passed:

"None appears on behalf of the petitioner in SLP(Crl.) No. 3779/2014.

At the request of the Court, Mr. Kunal A. Cheema, Advocate has consented to appear and act as Amicus Curiae on behalf of the petitioner.

In the above circumstances, we appoint Mr. Kunal A. Cheema, Advocate as Amicus Curiae for the petitioner to assist us in this matter.

We direct the Registry to supply an up-to-date copy of the Special Leave Petition Paper Book (s) to Mr. Kunal A. Cheema, learned Amicus Curiae immediately.

The Registry is also directed to ensure that the name of learned Amicus Curiae appears in the cause list on the next date of hearing.

List these matters after four weeks.

CRIMINAL APPEAL NO. 1581 OF 2013

This is an appeal by special leave granted by this Court's Order dated 20.09.2013.

It is submitted that service of Notice of Lodgement of Petition of Appeal on the sole respondent is complete and the sole respondent is represented through M/s V. Maheshwari, & Co.

It is further submitted that Original Records from the High Court as well as Trial Court have been received and the same are available in the Court room for reference of the Hon'ble Court.

It is further submitted that Counsel for the Parties has not filed additional documents so far.

SPECIAL LEAVE PETITION (CRL.) NO.3779 OF 2014

It is submitted that pursuant to Hon'ble Court order dated 07.02.2017, complete set of the Paper Book has been given vide this Registry letter 17.02.2017 to Mr. Kunal A. Cheema, Advocate and the name has also been updated as Amicus Curiae in Special Leave Petition (Crl) No. 3779 of 2014.

Accordingly, show cause notice returnable on 21.07.2014 was issued to the sole respondent/State of Haryana thorough Registered A.D. post.

It is submitted that service of show cause notice is not complete on sole respondent/State of Haryana. However Mr. Vishwa Pal Singh, Advocate represented for contesting appellant in the connected Criminal Appeal No.1581 of 2013.

The matter above mentioned has been tagged to Criminal Appeal No.1581 of 2013 in pursuance of Hon'ble Court's Order dated 11.04.2014.

The appeal alongwith special leave petition above mentioned are listed before the Hon'ble Court with this office report.

Dated this the 20th day of March, 2017.

ASSISTANT REGISTRAR

COPY TO:

1. Mr. Vishwa Pal Singh, Adv.
2. M/s V. Maheshwari, & Co.
3. Mr. Kunal A. Cheema, Advocate(A.C)

ASSISTANT REGISTRAR

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