

HIGH COURT OF SIKKIM
Record of Proceedings

WP (PIL) No. 03/2018

IN RE: INSTALLATION OF CCTV CAMERAS IN
COURTS AND TRIBUNALS

Date: 18/05/2018

CORAM:

HON'BLE THE CHIEF JUSTICE
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE BHASKAR RAJ PRADHAN

For Petitioner (s) :

For Respondent (s) : Mr. Karma Thinlay, Sr. Govt. Advocate
with Mr. Thinlay Dorjee Bhutia, Govt.
Advocate, Mr. Santosh Kr. Chettri, Ms.
Pollin Rai, Asstt. Govt. Advocates.

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Pursuant to the direction made by the Supreme Court in
***Pradyuman Bisht vs. Union of India and Others [WP
(Criminal) No.99 of 2015]***, this Court has taken up the matter
as Suo Motu Writ Petition dealing with installation of CCTV
Camera in Courts and Tribunals.

In response, the State has filed a Status Report dated
15.05.2018, indicating that the State Government vide
communication dated 10.04.2018 has written to all the
Commissions, Tribunals and Authorities seeking views/opinions
for installation of CCTV Cameras in their premises. The State
has also received response from different Authorities, indicating
its willingness and some have indicated inappropriateness.

Keeping in view the importance of the matter, it is
apposite to appoint learned Advocates to assist the Court.

Accordingly, we request Mr. N. Rai, Learned Senior
Counsel and Ms. Tashi Doma Bhutia to assist the Court as Amici
Curiae.

A copy of the orders as well as response filed by the State
be supplied to them.

Call on 18.06.2018.

Judge
18.05.2018

Chief Justice
18.05.2018

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Internet : Yes / ~~No~~