

ITEM NO.22

Court 6 (Video Conferencing)

SECTION PIL-W

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

Writ Petition (Civil) No.956/2020

FIROZ IQBAL KHAN

Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

UNION OF INDIA & ORS.

Respondent(s)

(With appln.(s) for IA No. 91135/2020 - APPROPRIATE ORDERS/DIRECTIONS, IA No. 93533/2020 - CLARIFICATION/DIRECTION, IA No. 96666/2020 - EARLY HEARING APPLICATION, EXEMPTION FROM FILING AFFIDAVIT, IA No. 92885/2020 - INITIATING CONTEMPT PROCEEDINGS, INTERVENTION APPLICATION)

Date : 26-10-2020 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**

- 1 Mr Tushar Mehta, learned Solicitor General of India states that the order of the Ministry of Information and Broadcasting, Government of India will be placed on record of this proceeding in the next two days. In order to enable all the learned counsel to have the benefit of considering their position in relation to the order of the Union Government, the petition be listed after two weeks.
- 2 The Union of India shall place a copy of the order on affidavit.
- 3 The Petition be listed on 19 November 2020.

(Chetan Kumar)
A.R. - cum - P.S.

(Saroj Kumari Gaur)
Court Master