

ITEM NO.15

COURT NO.6

SECTION XVI

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

CONMT.PET.(C) No. 636/2017 In C.A. No. 7357/1996

BIHAR RAJYA SAHKARITA PRABANDHAK SEVA SANGH,  
PATNA THROUGH ITS JOINT SECRETARY AND ANR

Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

ANJANI KUMAR SINHA IAS, CHIEF SECRETARY AND ORS

Respondent(s)

(with appln. (s) for c/delay in filing contempt petition and office report)

Date : 05/04/2017 This petition was called on for hearing today.

CORAM : HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE R. BANUMATHI  
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SANJAY KISHAN KAULFor Petitioner(s) Mr. Nagender Rai, Sr. Adv.  
Mr. Akhilesh Kumar Pandey, Adv.

For Respondent(s)

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

This contempt petition has been filed alleging disobedience on the part of the respondents in complying with the order dated 20.08.1998 passed by this Court in Civil Appeal No.7357 of 1996. We find that three-four rounds of contempt petitions were earlier filed and disposed of by various orders. Further, there is an inordinate delay of 6080 days in filing this contempt petition.

In such view of the matter, we find no ground to initiate contempt proceedings against the respondents. The contempt petition is, accordingly, dismissed both on delay as well as on merits. However, liberty is granted to the petitioners to seek appropriate remedy, in accordance with law, before the

appropriate forum.

Pending interlocutory applications, if any, stand disposed of.

(Jayant Kumar Arora)  
Court Master

(Suman Jain)  
Court Master