

ITEM NO.27

COURT NO.3

SECTION IV-A

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

SPECIAL LEAVE PETITION (CIVIL) Diary No(s). 653/2020

(Arising out of impugned final judgment and order dated 22-08-2019 in WP No. 112513/2019 passed by the High Court Of Karnataka Circuit Bench At Dharwad)

UNION OF INDIA &amp; ANR.

Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

DHANWANTRI AYURVEDA COLLEGE HOSPITAL AND  
RESEARCH CENTRE & ORS.

Respondent(s)

(FOR ADMISSION and I.R. and IA No.16542/2020-CONDONATION OF DELAY IN FILING)

Date : 14-02-2020 This petition was called on for hearing today.

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ARUN MISHRA  
HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE INDIRA BANERJEE

For Petitioner(s) Mr. R. Balasubramanian, Sr. Adv.  
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Mr. Gurmeet Singh Makker, AOR

For Respondent(s)

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

We find no ground to interfere with the impugned order passed by the High Court owing to the delay. The Special Leave Petition is dismissed on the ground of delay as well as on merits.

Pending interlocutory application(s), if any, is/are disposed of.

However, we find that the interim order was passed by the High Court on 22.08.2019. This petition has been filed on 07.01.2020, i.e. with a delay of 41 days to assail the interim order whereas the admissions were given long back.

Let the concerned officer of the Ministry of AYUSH explain as to why he sat over the interim order for so long. Let the explanation be placed before this Court along with an affidavit within three weeks from today. List for consideration of the affidavit after three weeks.

We request the High Court to decide the matter expeditiously, as far as possible within six weeks so as to prevent the complications to arise in future.

(JAYANT KUMAR ARORA)  
COURT MASTER

(JAGDISH CHANDER)  
BRANCH OFFICER