The State Of Andhra Pradesh vs S. Swaminath Reddy Etc. on 3 March, 2020

ITEM NO.4 REGISTRAR COURT. 1

INDIA

SECT

SUPREMECOURTOF RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS

BEFORE THE REGISTRAR SH. ANIL LAXMAN PANSARE

Petition(s) for Special Leave to Appeal (Crl.) 8436/2019

No(s).

THE STATE OF ANDHRA PRADESH

Petition

VERSUS

S. SWAMINATH REDDY ETC.

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Date: 03-03-2020 These petitions were called on for hearing today.

For Petitioner(s)

Mr Abhishek Raj, Adv.

Mr. Arvind Kumar Sharma, AOR

For Respondent(s)

Mr. Ravi Kumar Tomar, AOR

UPON hearing the counsel the Court made the following ORDER

None appeared for respondent nos. 1 to 5 when called. The record shows that respondent nos. 1 to 5 have failed to file counter affidavit in terms of Order XXII, Rule 6, Supreme Court Rules, 2013. There is neither written application for extension of time to file pleadings in terms of Order V Rule 1(22), Supreme Court Rules, 2013 nor is there oral request to that effect. It appears that respondents are not interested in filing counter affidavit and, therefore, opportunity to file counter affidavit stands declined.

Service is complete on respondent no.7 but none has entered appearance.

Item No.4 Ld. Counsel for the petitioner has not taken appropriate steps in respect of respondent no.6(dead) despite last opportunity having been granted. However, ld. Counsel for the petitioner seeks four weeks time. Granted as strictly last chance. If appropriate steps are not taken within four weeks time, registry to process the matter for listing before the Hon'ble Judge in Chamber for orders. If appropriate steps are taken within four weeks time, process as per rules and list again on 4.5.2020.

ANIL LAXMAN PANSARE Registrar