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CWP-14106-2021

ZORAWAR AMARPREET SINGH VS. BAR COUNCIL OF INDIA AND OTHERS

Present: Mr. Harlove Singh Rajput, Advocate and
Mr. Jashandeep Singh Bains, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Rajesh Gaur, Advocate for
Mr. R.K. Hooda, Advocate for respondent No.1-BCI.

Mr. Dheeraj Jain, Sr. Panel Counsel with
Mr. Sahil Garg, Advocate for respondent No.3-UOI.

Mr. Akshay Kumar Goel, Advocate for respondent
No.4-Punjab University.

Mr. Salil Sabhlok, Advocate for respondent No.7-UGC.

1. Despite valid publication through notice(s) becoming made upon co-respondents No.5 and 6, neither the said respondents have made personal appearance before this Court, nor they appear through any authorized representative(s). Therefore, though respondent No.5 and 6 may be ordered to be proceeded against *ex parte*.

2. However, the ends of justice would not be met to yet make an order directing that the said respondents be proceeded against *ex parte*, as the entire *falcrum* of the *lis* rests upon the production of the records appertaining to the instant matter, by the custodian thereof, thus, sitting in the Secretariat of the Sikkim Government.

3. As such, when there is failure on the part of the said co-respondents No.5 and 6 to record appearances through an authorized agent(s), despite printing of a notice in a daily news paper, and, when for reasons (*supra*), it is not required in the interest of justice that the said co-respondents be proceeded against *ex parte*. Therefore, this Court for ensuring that the entire *lis* become settled through the apposite productions before this Court by the custodian sitting in the Secretariat of the Sikkim Government, therebys, this Court issues bailable warrants for ensuring the presence of co-respondents No.5

and 6 before this Court. The Addl. Chief Secretary, Sikkim, is directed to ensure the execution of the said bailable warrants and the production of the aforesaid co-respondents shall be made before this Court on or before the next date of hearing.

4. The said bailable warrants shall be comprised in a sum of Rs.50,000/- with one surety in the like amount.

5. The Addl. Chief Secretary, Sikkim shall also ensure that officer/official concerned, shall bring all the relevant records under his supervision, as relate to the instant matter.

(SURESHWAR THAKUR)
JUDGE

(SUDEEPTI SHARMA)
JUDGE

December 09, 2024
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