

ITEM NO.1

Court 9 (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

Miscellaneous Application No. 1630/2020 in W.P.(C) No. 880/2016

SURAZ INDIA TRUST

Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

UNION OF INDIA

Respondent(s)

(ONLY OFFICE REPORT FOR DIRECTION TO BE LISTED[APPLICATION FOR UNCONDITIONAL APOLOGY HAVING U.D. NO. 36444/2021])

Date : 05-04-2021 This petition was called on for hearing today.

CORAM :

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SANJAY KISHAN KAUL
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HEMANT GUPTA

By Courts Motion

For Petitioner(s) Mr. Rajiv Daiya, MD of the petitioner

For Respondent(s)

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

We strongly deprecate the conduct of Mr. Rajiv Daiya who is appearing in person. The fact that he has been given Covishield vaccination on 26.03.2021 is no excuse not to appear today before the Court after more than a week.

Mr. Daiya has also not complied with the order and seeks to wriggle out of the proceedings by raising all kinds of objections i.e. that this matter should not been heard by this Bench but by the Chief Justice's Bench. This is not a prerogative of Mr. Daiya.

Prima facie, Mr. Daiya seems to be bent upon violating the directions of this Court and thus, we have no option but to issue notice of contempt to Mr. Rajiv Daiya returnable on 12.04.2021.

Mr. Rajiv Daiya, who appears in person, accepts notice.

Mr. Rajiv Daiya shall appear in person and shall also disclose which is the Government job he claims to have as we propose to issue notice to the concerned Government.

At this stage, Mr. Daiya states that when he mentioned the Government job he was referring to the fact that he was a stenographer in a legal office but deployed with the State of Rajasthan.

Let notice issue to the standing counsel for the State of Rajasthan so that we can verify the fact in view of the non-cooperative attitude of Mr. Daiya.

List on 12.04.2021.

A copy of order to accompany notice.

(ASHA SUNDRIYAL)
ASTT. REGISTRAR-cum-PS

(POONAM VAID)
COURT MASTER (NSH)