

O U T T O D A Y

ITEM NO.32+33

COURT NO.2

SECTION IX

S U P R E M E C O U R T O F I N D I A
RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS

Petition(s) for Special Leave to Appeal (C) Nos.20210-20224/2017

(Arising out of impugned final judgment and order dated 12-07-2017 in WP No. 8851/2017 12-07-2017 in WP No. 8852/2017 12-07-2017 in WP No. 8853/2017 12-07-2017 in WP No. 8854/2017 12-07-2017 in WP No. 8855/2017 12-07-2017 in WP No. 8856/2017 12-07-2017 in WP No. 8857/2017 12-07-2017 in WP No. 8858/2017 12-07-2017 in WP No. 8859/2017 12-07-2017 in WP No. 8860/2017 12-07-2017 in WP No. 8861/2017 12-07-2017 in WP No. 8862/2017 12-07-2017 in WP No. 8863/2017 12-07-2017 in WP No. 8864/2017 12-07-2017 in WP No. 8865/2017 passed by the High Court of Bombay at Aurangabad)

DILIP VITTHAL BAMBALE & ORS.

Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

VINITKUMAR MOTIRAM TOTLOD & ORS.

Respondent(s)

(With appln.(s) for exemption from filing O.T. and intervention)

WITH S.L.P.(C) Nos.20200-20202/2017

(With appln.(s) for exemption from filing c/c of the impugned judgment, permission to file SLP, appln. for vacating interim order, intervention/impleadment and modification of Court order)

Date : 18-08-2017 These petitions were called on for hearing today.

CORAM :

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

Applications for intervention and impleadment stand allowed.

The fulcrum of the controversy apart from other aspects relates to verification of the caste certificate of the respondents. Needless to say, verification of caste certificates shall include the validity of the caste certificates. It is the duty of the Committee that has been constituted by the State of Maharashtra, to verify the caste certificates well within time.

We have been apprised that 353 students are involved whose caste certificates are yet to be verified. Mr. Nishant Ramakantrao Katneshwarkar, learned Standing Counsel for the State of Maharashtra shall apprise the Committee that the

caste certificate shall be verified within two weeks hence, if already not done. The writ petitioners, the impleaded parties or the intervenors, who have been placed in the said situation, shall appear before the Committees tomorrow i.e. 19th August, 2017, at 11.30 a.m. The results thereof be produced before this Court after serving a copy of the same on the learned counsel for the petitioners, on 6th September, 2017.

The students, who do not appear before the Scrutiny Committees shall not get any benefit. No notice shall be issued by the concerned Committees, as we have directed that they shall appear before the Committee at 11.30 a.m. on 19th August, 2017. We have used the word 'concerned Committees' as there are different area wise Committees for verification of caste certificate. The State is directed to put the order passed today in the relevant official website.

The interim order passed on the earlier occasion shall remain in force till the next date of hearing. However, no counseling shall take place in respect of the Scheduled Tribes category as we have directed for verification of the caste certificate of the 353 students by the Scrutiny Committee.

Call on the date fixed.

(Chetan Kumar)
Court Master

(H.S. Parasher)
Assistant Registrar