

ITEM NO.50

COURT NO.9

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

CONMT.PET.(C) No. 550/2015 in W.P.(C) No. 821/1990

COMMON CAUSE

Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

ABHIJAT & ORS.

Respondent(s)

WITH

CONMT.PET.(C) No. 19/2016 In W.P.(C) No. 132/1988 (X)

CONMT.PET.(C) No. 472/2016 In W.P.(C) No. 132/1988 (X)

Date : 09-02-2024 These petitions were called on for hearing today.

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

Apropos the previous order of this Court, the rules as submitted by the Bar Council of India requires consideration. However, we appoint Mr. S. Muralidhar, learned senior counsel (former Judge of the Delhi High Court and former Chief Justice of the Orissa High Court) as *Amicus*, to examine the rules in the context of the existing judgments and objections as filed by Mr. Prashant Bhushan, learned counsel, and submit his report.

If required, an opportunity of hearing may be afforded to learned counsel appearing for the parties.

Re-list the matter on 03<sup>rd</sup> May, 2024.

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