

ITEM NO.15

COURT NO.1

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**

Writ Petition(s)(Civil) No(s).141/2017

**AMBEDKAR ASSOCIATION FOR DEVELOPMENT (AAD)**

**Petitioner(s)**

**VERSUS**

**UNION OF INDIA & ORS.**

**Respondent(s)**

**Date : 13-04-2023 This petition was called on for hearing today.**

**CORAM :**

**HON'BLE THE CHIEF JUSTICE**  
**HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE PAMIDIGHANTAM SRI NARASIMHA**  
**HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE J.B. PARDIWALA**

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

- 1      The jurisdiction of this Court under Article 32 of the Constitution was invoked in 2017 for making appointments to the post of Chairperson/Vice-Chairperson and Member of the National Commission for Scheduled Castes within a stipulated period.

- 2 The Union of India filed a counter affidavit stating that the Members were appointed.
- 3 The present position relating to the Sixth Commission is that the Chairperson, Vice-Chairperson and two Members are in place, while there is one vacancy.
- 4 The Union of India shall take appropriate steps to ensure that the composition of the National Commission for Scheduled Castes is completed on an expeditious basis.
- 5 The petition is disposed of.
- 6 Pending application, if any, stands disposed of.

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**DEPUTY REGISTRAR**

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