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Case: - PUBLIC INTEREST LITIGATION (PIL) No. - 1541 of 2024

Petitioner: Bharti Devi

Respondent :- Union Of India And Another

Counsel for Petitioner :- Ankur Azad, Om Prakash

Singh, Shashwat Anand

Counsel for Respondent :- A.S.G.I., Jitendra Ojha

Hon'ble Manoj Kumar Gupta, J. Hon'ble Manish Kumar Nigam, J.

- 1. Heard learned counsel for the petitioner, Ms. Pooja Agarwal, learned counsel for respondent no.1 and Shri Jitendra Ojha, learned counsel for the respondent no.2.
- 2. Though the petition is ostensibly filed in public interest, the petitioner has not made due disclosure as required by sub-rule (3-A) of Rule 1 of Chapter XXII of the Allahabad High Court Rules, 1952 which was amended in view of the judgement of the Supreme Court passed in *State of Uttaranchal vs. Balwant Singh Chaufal and others reported in 2010 AIR SCW 1029*.
- 3. Hence, we decline to entertain the petition, since, we are not satisfied in regard to the *bona fides* and credentials of the petitioner.
- 4. The petition is, accordingly, **dismissed** with liberty to file a fresh petition after making required disclosures, if so advised. There shall be no order as to costs.

(Manish Kumar Nigam, J.) (Manoj Kumar Gupta, J.)

Order Date :- 20.8.2024

Ankit.