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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF INDIA
CIVIL APPELLATE JURISDICTION
SPECIAL LEAVE PETITION (CIVIL) No.12125 of 2010

IN THE MATTER OF:

Andaman & Nicobar Administration

... Petitioner

Versus

Barefoot Inn Leisure Pvt. Ltd.

... Respondent

I, Kuldip Singh Thakur, aged 42 years, presently Deputy Resident Commissioner, Andaman & Nicobar Administration, Andaman House, Chanakyapuri, do solemnly affirm and state as under:

1. That I am conversant with the facts and circumstances of the case as reflected in the records, and am competent and authorized to affirm the instant affidavit on behalf of the Petitioner herein.
2. That on submission of Additional Solicitor General that the Amendment to the A&N Islands Protection of Aboriginal Tribes (PAT) Regulation, 1956 is likely to be approved by the Cabinet in next three months, the case was adjourned by the Hon'ble Court to 4th November, 2011 in its order dated 01.08.2011.
3. That this Administration has made a reference in the Ministry of Home Affairs for issue of notification amending the A&N Islands (PAT) Regulation, 1956 at an early date.
4. That the Ministry has sought clarification on issues concerning this amendment and last such clarification of 14th Oct 2011 was replied by this Administration on 18th October, 2011.
5. That the proposed amendment of PAT Regulation is still in the drafting stage with the MHA and it is unlikely to be notified before the next hearing.
6. That the Hon'ble Court is requested to be graciously pleased to extend the time limit for filing the reply by another three months.

DEPONENT

Verification

The Contents of paras 1 to 6 are true and correct to the best of my knowledge, information and belief.

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