

Chief Justice's Court

Case :- PUBLIC INTEREST LITIGATION (PIL) No. - 885 of 2021

Petitioner :- Pranvesh

Respondent :- State Of U.P. And 4 Others

Counsel for Petitioner :- Pranvesh

Counsel for Respondent :- C.S.C.

Hon'ble Sanjay Yadav,Chief Justice

Hon'ble Prakash Padia,J.

Matter is taken up through video conferencing.

Sri Pranvesh, learned counsel appears for the petitioner.

Sri Manish Goyal, learned Addition Advocate General appears for respondent Nos.1, 2 & 3.

The petitioner by way of present petition seeks following reliefs:-

(a) Issue a writ, order or direction in the nature of mandamus directing and commanding the respondents to perform the cremation according to religious rites and dispose the dead bodies buried near Ganga River at different ghats in Allahabad as early as possible.

(b) Issue a writ, order or direction in the nature of mandamus directing and commanding the respondents to prevent/stop the burial of dead bodies near Holy River Ganga."

Having gone through the entire petition, we are of the view that the petitioner has not done much research work in respect of rites and customs which are prevalent among various communities living along the bank of river Ganga. Therefore, we are not inclined at this stage to cause any indulgence instead to allow the petitioner to withdraw the petition with a liberty to file fresh petition after causing inquiry and research in respect of the practice of last rites in various communities which are residing along the bank of Ganga.

With a liberty above, the petition stands disposed of as withdrawn.

Order Date :- 18.6.2021

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