

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). 1187/2025

CATHOLIC BISHOPS CONFERENCE OF INDIA

Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

THE STATE OF RAJASTHAN

Respondent(s)

**(FOR ADMISSION
IA No. 309651/2025 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING O.T.)**

Date : 08-12-2025 This matter was called on for hearing today.

**CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE DIPANKAR DATTA
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE AUGUSTINE GEORGE MASIH**

For Petitioner(s) Mr. Romy Chacko, Sr. Adv.
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**For Respondent(s) : Mr. Tushar Mehta, SGI
Mr. Shiv Mangal Sharma, AAG
Ms. Sonali Gaur, Adv.
Ms. Nidhi Jaiswal, AOR**

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

1. Issue notice.
2. Notice is accepted by Ms. Nidhi Jaiswal, advocate-on-record for the respondent-State of Rajasthan, who is assisting Mr. Tushar Mehta, learned Solicitor General of India.
3. We are informed that similar enactments like the one under consideration are under challenge in multiple writ petitions, which are pending before this Court. Order passed in Writ Petition (C) No.1047/2025 is placed before us.
4. Tag with W.P. (C) No.1047/2025.

**(RADHA SHARMA)
ASTT. REGISTRAR-cum-PS**

**(SUDHIR KUMAR SHARMA)
COURT MASTER (NSH)**