

THE HON'BLE SRI JUSTICE A.V.SESHA SAI

WRIT PETITION Nos.9909, 9916 and 10082 of 2017

COMMON ORDER:

It is submitted by the learned counsel for the petitioners that the issue involved in these Writ Petitions is squarely covered by the decision of this Court in Writ Petition No.39888 of 2015 dated 09.12.2015 and that a large number of similar and identical cases have been disposed of directing the authorities to release the seized vehicles in terms of G.O.Ms.No.3, Industries and Commerce (Mines-I) Department, dated 08.01.2015 as amended by G.O.Ms.No.15, Industries & Commerce (Mines-I) Department, dated 19.02.2015.

The aforesaid submissions made by the learned counsel for the petitioners are admitted by the learned Government Pleader appearing for the respondents. Further, the learned Government Pleader submits that these Writ Petitions may be disposed of in similar lines to the order of this Court dated 09.12.2015 passed in Writ Petition No.39888 of 2015.

In view of the above, following the decision of this Court in Writ Petition No.39888 of 2015 dated 09.12.2015, these Writ Petitions are disposed of directing the second respondent to consider release of the seized vehicles. Since the petitioners have already submitted their respective applications to the said respondent, he is directed to consider the same and pass

appropriate orders as per G.O.Ms.No.3, Industries and Commerce (Mines-I) Department, dated 08.01.2015 as amended by G.O.Ms.No.15, Industries and Commerce (Mines-I) Department, dated 19.02.2015 for release of the seized vehicles, within a period of three days from the date of receipt of a copy of this order.

Consequently, Miscellaneous Petitions, if any pending in these Writ Petitions, shall stand closed. No order as to costs.

22nd MARCH, 2017.

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A.V.SESHA SAI, J

