

Central Administrative Tribunal
Principal Bench

C.P.No294/98 in
O.A.No.2873/97

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Hon'ble Mr. Justice K.M.Agarwal, Chairman
Hon'ble Shri R.K.Ahooja, Member(A)

New Delhi, this the 3rd day of November, 1998

Ms. Kanchan Kapoor
d/o Shri S.K.Kapoor
R/o 4/61, Geeta Colony
Gandhi Nagar
New Delhi.

... Petitioner

(By Shri S.Y.Khan, Advocate)

Vs.

1. Shri P.G.Mankad
Secretary
Ministry of I & B
Shastri Bhavan
New Delhi.

2. Dr. O.P.Kejriwal
Director General
All India Radio
Akashvani Bhavan
New Delhi.

... Respondents

O R D E R (Oral)

Hon'ble Mr. Justice K.M.Agarwal, Chairman

Already one C.P.No.285/98 is pending for the alleged non-compliance with the directions of this Tribunal in OA No.2873/97. Accordingly, the second petition for contempt prima facie appears to be not maintainable. The learned counsel submitted that there were two applicants in the OA. The earlier CP has been filed by the second applicant in the OA. Be that as it may, if the Original Application was jointly filed Contempt Petition also ought to have been filed jointly. If one of the applicants has filed the CP the other applicant will not be at liberty to file second application because for one and the same nature of disobedience the respondents cannot be punished twice on

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the basis of two applications for contempt. Accordingly, the present petition for contempt, being the subsequent petition, is hereby summarily dismissed.

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(K.M. Agarwal)
Chairman

R. K. Ahooja
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Member (A)

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