#### CENTRAL ADMINISTRATIVE TRIBUNAL ERNAKULAM

## **Order Sheet**

**Item no.: 19** 

O.A./694/2022 (ERNAKULAM)

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Court No.: 1

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Order Dated: 11/06/2024

# SANCHAR NIGAM EXECUTIVES ASSOSIATION NEW DELHI REPRESENTED BY ITS AREA SECRETARY CENTRAL MANEESH K P AND OTHERS

Vs

### THE SECRETARY MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS NEW DELHI AND OTHERS

<u>For Applicant(s) Advocate</u>: Mr. M R Hariraj, Ms. Alina Anna Kose, Ms. Vidya A K, Ms. Akhila S, Ms. Megna Mariyam M

For Respondent(s) Advocate: Mr. George Kuruvilla, Mrs. O M Shalina, SCGSC

# **Order of The Tribunal**

## M.A No.844/2023

This is an application filed by the respondent no.1 in the O.A to delete it from the party array.

The premise on which the deletion is sought is that after the constitution of the BSNL, the first respondent has no role in its functioning. It is stated that BSNL is a public sector undertaking and its management is completely free to finalize its day to day affairs, which are purely in the domain of the BSNL.

Heard both sides, it is true that the main relief sought is against the BSNL. However, as abundant caution, we feel that the presence of the respondent no.1 in the party array is essential either as formal party or as necessary party. Accordingly, we are inclined to close the M.A.

M.A is closed.

The learned Counsel for the applicant is granted time to file rejoinder.

List on 03.09.2024.

# ANINDO MAJUMDAR Member (A)

# JUSTICE SUNIL THOMAS Member (J)

/v/