

regarding the status of the proposed Bill conferring power of contempt on the Tribunal. The matter was under active consideration of the Government on the basis of the assurance tendered by them before the Apex Court for introducing a Bill conferring powers of contempt on the Armed Forces Tribunal. Therefore, before adjudicating upon the matter, it became necessary to obtain the views of the Central Government as to whether they intend to pursue the matter for introducing the Bill in the Parliament for conferring powers of contempt on the AFT or not. Mr. Maninder Singh, learned ASG stated that he will report back to this Tribunal after seeking instructions from the Union of India.

2. Put up the matter on **10.12.2015**.

(PRAKASH TATIA)
CHAIRPERSON

(SUNIL HALI)
MEMBER

(JN BURMA)
MEMBER

Dated:29.10.2015
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