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* **IN THE HIGH COURT OF DELHI AT NEW DELHI**

+ W.P.(C) 1133/2015 & CM Nos.7774/2015, 8993/2015

GAURI MAULEKHI

..... Petitioner

Through: Mr. Pritpal Singh Nijjar with
Ms. Ambika Nijjar and Ms.
Nina Nariman, Advs.

versus

GOVERNMENT OF NCT OF
DELHI & ORS.

.... Respondent

Through: Ms. Niti Jain, Adv. for Mr.
Anuj Aggarwal, ASC for the
GNCTD.
Mr. Srivats Kaushl, Adv. for
Mr. Jasmeet Singh, CGSC
for UOI.

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HON'BLE THE ACTING CHIEF JUSTICE

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE C.HARI SHANKAR

ORDER

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15.12.2017

1. It is submitted by Mr. Srivata Kaushal, Advocate representing Mr. Jasmeet Singh, Id. CGSC that the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals (Pet Shop) Rules, 2016 could not be finalized for the reasons that only nine states have responded to the draft circulated by the Central Government.

2. We are informed that even Govt. of NCT of Delhi has not responded to the draft circulated by the Central Government.

Let the examination of draft be taken expeditiously by the Govt. of NCT of Delhi and views taken thereon be informed to the Central Government positively within four weeks from today.

3. It is submitted by Mr. Srivats Kaushal, Id. counsel for the UOI that reminders would be issued to the States and Union Territories which have not responded to the same.

List on 26th February, 2018.

ACTING CHIEF JUSTICE

C.HARI SHANKAR, J

DECEMBER 15, 2017/pmc