

To,
The Hon'ble Justices of the Supreme Court
New Delhi – 110001

19th April 2019

Subject: Sexual harassment and consequent victimisation of me and my family at the hands of the Chief Justice of India

Dear Hon'ble Judges,

I was a junior court assistant in the Hon'ble Supreme Court from 1st May 2014 till 21st December 2018 when my services were unceremoniously terminated. With great regret and anguish I am having to address this letter to you, to narrate the sexual harassment and consequent victimisation that I and my family have had to go through and the facts and circumstances which disclose the reason why this happened. The extent of victimisation has been such that apart from my services being terminated in December 2018, in the same month my husband and his brother, both head constables with the Delhi Police have been suspended. My husband's other younger brother who was given a job in group D category in the Supreme Court under the Chief Justice's discretionary quota in October 2018, was also terminated without giving any reasons, in January 2019. Not only this, a false and frivolous FIR was registered against me on 3rd March 2019 (alleging that I took an advance of 50000 from a certain Mr. Naveen from Jhajjar, in the Supreme Court premises for offering him a job in the Supreme Court in 2017) on the basis of which I was arrested late at night, shackled from my feet, my husband was beaten up in police custody and handcuffed (though he was not arrested). I was kept in police custody of one day and judicial custody for one day. Consequently I was forced to obtain bail. Thereafter an application has been made by the police for cancellation of my bail.

I have narrated the entire sequence of events in the attached affidavit which also contains the documents I have in my possession. As you will see from the facts narrated, my and my family's victimisation is a consequence of my not agreeing to the sexual advances made by the Chief Justice of India, Justice Ranjan Gogoi. I did not have the courage to make this complaint earlier because I was terrified of the consequences to me and to my family which I was threatened of and which have indeed come to pass subsequently. However as you can see from the unprecedented and relentless victimisation that I and my family have suffered, I am left with no option but to appeal to your Lordships to take cognisance of this matter.

By this letter I am requesting the Hon'ble Judges of the Supreme Court to constitute a special enquiry committee of senior retired judges of the Hon'ble Supreme Court to enquire into these charges of sexual harassment and consequent victimisation.

Kind regards,

