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December 19, 2013

Dear Shri Jethmalani,

I have received your letter dated 6.12.2013 and the annexures.

Having regard to your age and the fact that both of us belong to the same fraternity, I decline to take umbrage at the outrageous allegations made in your letter. By the way, I have learned that neither the accuser nor the accusation is new.

You may wish to acquaint yourself with an application made under section 319 of the CrPC in CC No.1/2011 and the Order dated 3.12.2011 passed on that application by the Court of the Special Judge (CBI Court), Patiala House Court, New Delhi. You may also wish to acquaint yourself with the letter of Shri P C Srivastava, Advocate, dated 18.6.2013 addressed to the Chairman of the Joint Parliamentary Committee.

Be that as it may, you will be happy to know that I have forwarded your letter dated 6.12.2013 and the annexures to Shri Sumit Bose, Finance Secretary-cum-Revenue Secretary, to cause an inquiry to be made in a time bound manner and to submit the conclusions of the inquiry in a sealed cover directly to the Hon'ble Prime Minister.

With my best wishes,

Yours sincerely,

(P Chidambaram)

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Dear Shri Chidambaram,

I have received your letter of 19<sup>th</sup>. It does not lessen the strength of the inferences arising from the volume of papers sent to you along with my letter of 06.12.2013.

The first application disposed off by order of 03.12.2011 which order was made not on merits but due to absence of my client means nothing at all because the same court clarified by its order of 14.12.2012 that nothing has been decided on merits.

The reference to the lawyer's letter of 18.06.2013 is equally redundant and evasive. It was not entertained by the Chairman of the JPC because it had shut down shop.

I am not amused by your inquiry which you have decided to be conducted by your subordinate. I do not wish to comment on his credentials or qualifications.

I regret this matter has to end in the courts of the country or perhaps the Court of the Sovereign People of India.

Yours Sincerely

*Ram Jethmalani*

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To

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