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ITEM NO.1

COURT NO.3

SECTION XVI

S U P R E M E C O U R T O F I N D I A  
RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS

I.A. No. 2/2013 in  
Petition(s) for Special Leave to Appeal (Civil) No(s).29515/2010

(From the judgement and order dated 09/08/2010 in WP No.141/2010 of The  
HIGH COURT OF CALCUTTA)

UNION OF INDIA

Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

UTTAM CHAND NAHTA & ORS.

Respondent(s)/  
Applicant(s)

(for directions and vacation of status quo and with prayer for  
interim relief and office report )

[ONLY I.A. NO. 2 FOR VACATING STAY IS LISTED]

Date: 02/08/2013 This IA was called on for hearing today.

CORAM :

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE R.M. LODHA  
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE MADAN B. LOKUR

For Petitioner(s) Mr. Sidharth Luthra, A.S.G.  
Ms. V. Mohana, Adv.  
Ms. Anita Shenoy, Adv.  
Mr. Arjun Dewan, Adv.  
Ms. Sushma Suri, Adv.

For Respondent(s)/  
For Applicant(s) Mr. Amit Sibal, Adv.  
Mr. Anirudh Sharma, Adv.

UPON hearing counsel the Court made the following  
O R D E R

We have heard Mr. Amit Sibal, learned counsel for  
respondent No. 1-applicant and Mr. Sidharth Luthra, learned  
Additional Solicitor General for the petitioner-respondent in the  
application.

Having regard to the legal position exposted by a three  
Judge Bench of this Court in "Sukhdev Singh Vs. Union of India &  
others", 2013 (6) SCALE 490, in our opinion, there is no  
justification for continuation of the order of status quo passed by  
this Court on November 29, 2010.

The order of status quo dated November 29, 2010 is vacated.

However, it is clarified that any appointment made to the  
post of Director General, Corporate Affairs during the pendency of  
the special leave petition shall be subject to the final outcome in  
the matter.

Interlocutory Application No. 2 of 2013 stands disposed of.

|(Rajesh Dham)  
|Court Master

|(Renu Diwan)  
|Court Master

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