

V
SLP(C)No. 4453-4467 OF 1998

ITEM No.1

Court No. 6

SECTION XIA
A/N MATTER

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

Petition(s) for Special Leave to Appeal (Civil) No.4453-4467/1998

(From the judgement and order dated 28/08/1997 in LAA 294/94
934/94,LAA 228/94,LAA 376/94,LAA 1021/94,LAA 295/94,LAA 692/94,
351/91,LAA 638/92,LAA 730/94,LAA 50/94,LAA 628/94,LAA 674/94,
362 & 351/94 of The HIGH COURT OF KERALA AT ERNAKULAM)

M.T.JOY & ORS

Petitioner (s)

VERSUS

STATE OF KERALA & ORS.

Respondent (s)

(With office report)
(For Final Disposal)
With SLP(C)No.11732/1999,SLP(C)No.8554/1998@@
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(With office report)
(For Final Disposal)

Date : 25/09/2001 These Petitions were called on for hearing today.

CORAM :

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE V.N. KHARE
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE B.N. AGRAWAL

For Petitioner (s)
in SLP 4453-67/98 Mr. Vinod M.P.,Adv.

in SLP 8554/98 & res.
in SLP 4453-67/98 Mr. VJ Francis, Adv.

in SLP 11732/99 Mr. EMS Anam, Adv.

For Respondent (s)
in SLP 4453-67 and Mr. Ramesh Babu M.R., Adv.
8554/98 Mr. K.R. Sasiprabhu,Adv.

For UOI Mr. Ashok K Srivastava, Adv.
Ms. Binu Tamta, Adv.
Mr. SN Terdal, Adv.
Mr. D.S. Mahra,Adv.

UPON hearing counsel the Court made the following
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When the special leave petitions were
taken up, learned counsel for the petitioners
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stated that the award of compensation by the Reference Court at the rate of Rs.8,000/- in respect of category 3(b) and Rs.8,500/- in respect of category 4(b) were affirmed by the High Court in L.A.A. No. 492/92 and there was no reason why the petitioners who were similarly situated be given the reduced rate of compensation by the High Court. Learned counsel appearing for the respondent stated that in fact the appeals were dismissed on the ground of delay and subsequently, the review petition filed by the State of Kerala was allowed and the appeals were restored to its original number. However, this is disputed by the learned counsel for the petitioners. In view of the disagreement between the parties, we direct the respondent to file an affidavit alongwith the copy of review petition and the order restoring the appeal within four weeks. The petitioners shall file a reply within four weeks thereafter.

List all the matters after eight weeks.

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(Alka Dudeja)
Court Master

(S. Krishnan)
Court Master