

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(s).5596/2005  
(From the judgement and order dated 10/02/2005 in WA No. 2289/2004 of The  
HIGH COURT OF KERALA AT ERNAKULAM)

STATE OF KERALA & ORS.  
Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

STATE OF NAGALAND & ORS.  
Respondent(s)

(With prayer for interim relief and office report )

Date: 28/03/2005 This Petition was called on for hearing today.

CORAM :

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ASHOK BHAN  
HON'BLE DR. JUSTICE AR. LAKSHMANAN

For Petitioner(s) Mr.L.Nageswar Rao, Sr. Adv.  
Mr. Ramesh Babu M.R.,Adv.

For Respondent(s)

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

Counsel appearing for the State of Kerala states that the petitioner-  
State of Kerala has been declared to a lottery free zone and there could not be  
any sale of lottery tickets after the 27th of January, 2005; that the State is also  
prepared to refund the advance sales tax collected from the respondents  
in  
respect of the unsold tickets, and that the ticket-holders to whom the tickets had  
already been sold would not be disturbed and they shall be entitled to receive the  
prize money if the ticket held by them wins a prize.

Issue notice. In the meantime, the respondents are restrained to make

fresh sale of tickets.

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