

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).12199/2013  
(From the judgement and order dated 09/07/2012 in RP No.4180/2011 of The  
NATIONAL CONSUMERS DISPUTES REDRESSAL COMMISSION, NEW DELHI)

SANTOSH GOYAL

Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

UNION OF INDIA & ORS.

Respondent(s)

(With appln(s) for c/delay in filing SLP and prayer for interim relief and  
office report)

Date: 06/01/2014 This Petition was called on for hearing today.

CORAM :

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SUDHANSU JYOTI MUKHOPADHAYA

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE KURIAN JOSEPH

For Petitioner(s) Mr. Nagendra Rai, Sr. Adv.  
Mr. Smarhar Singh, Adv.  
Mr. Chandra Prakash, Adv.

For Respondent(s) Mr. Rakesh Khanna, ASG  
Mr. N.K. Karhail, Adv.  
Ms. Seema Rao, Adv.  
Mr. Anirudh Tanwar, Adv.  
Mr. Mohit Nagar, Adv.  
Mr. Shreekant N. Terdal, Adv.

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

On 18th March, 2013, the matter was taken up and following order  
was passed:

"Issue notice on the application for condonation of delay as  
also on the special leave petition.

In the notice, it should be indicated that the Court is  
inclined to grant leave, set aside the impugned order and remand  
the case to the District Forum for suo motu exercising power under  
proviso to Section 24A(2) of the Consumer Protection Act, 1986 for  
condonation of 9 days' delay.

A copy of this order be served upon the respondents along  
with the notice at the address mentioned in the memo of special  
leave petition."

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Respondents have appeared.

We heard the parties.

Taking into consideration the nature of the case, we are of view  
that the impugned order be set aside and the matter should be remanded  
back to the District Forum for suo motu exercising power under proviso  
to Section 24A(2) of the Consumer Protection Act, 1986 and condone  
delay of 9 days.

In view of the above, the impugned order is set aside and  
the matter is remitted back to the District Forum for exercising its

power under aforesaid proviso and to decide the case on merit.  
The special leave petition stands disposed of.

[RAJNI MUKHI]  
SR. P.A.

[USHA SHARMA]  
COURT MASTER