

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.7488/2003

(From the judgement and order dated 28/01/2003 in WP 3083/02  
of The HIGH COURT OF BOMBAY)

P.&O. AUSTRALIA PVT. LTD. & ORS.

Petitioner (s)

VERSUS

BOARD OF TURSTEES, J.N.PORT TRUST & ANR.

Respondent (s)

(With prayer for interim relief)

( With Appln(s). for permission to submit additional document(s)  
& exemption from filing c/c of the impugned Judgment )

Date : 05/05/2003 This Petition was called on for hearing today.

CORAM :

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE Y.K. SABHARWAL  
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE H.K. SEMA

For Petitioner (s) Mr.P.Chidambaram,Sr.Adv.  
M/s Amar Gupta,Aditya Bhagat,  
Vibha Datta Makhija,Bharti Tyagi,  
Shyam Mehta,Sundaesan,Advs.

For Respondent (s) Mr.Altaf Ahmad,ASG  
M/s Bina Gupta,Arpita Mahajan,  
Nina Gupta,Sukhjinder Singh,  
Akshay Patil,Advs.

UPON hearing counsel the Court made the following

O R D E R

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Having regard to the comprehensive guidelines that  
were issued by Government of India, Ministry of Surface  
Transport, on 26th October, 1996 the decision of Board of  
Trustees, Jawaharlal Nehru Port Trust, as contained in  
the Resolution No.139/7th September 2002 which results in  
excluding the petitioners cannot, in the facts and  
circumstances of the case, be faulted and the High Court,  
in our opinion rightly dismissed the petition. The  
Special Leave Petition is accordingly dismissed.

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[Naresh Kumar]  
Court Master

[ VP Tyagi ]  
Court Master