

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)...../2012  
CC 18189/2012

(From the judgement and order dated 03/10/2011 in CWP No.18634/2011  
of The HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH)

BIRENDRA KUAR & ANR. Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

UNION OF INDIA Respondent(s)

(With appln(s) for c/delay in filing SLP, c/delay in refiling SLP)

Date: 15/10/2012 This Petition was called on for hearing today.

CORAM : HON'BLE THE CHIEF JUSTICE  
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SURINDER SINGH NIJJAR  
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE J. CHELAMESWAR

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For Respondent(s)

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

Delay condoned.

Issue notice on the question as to whether the inclusion of people professing the Sikh, Jaina or Buddhist faiths, could be included in the enactments relating exclusively to persons professing the Hindu religion, within the ambit of Explanation II to Article 25(2) of the Constitution.

Let notice issue separately to the learned Attorney General also, to be served, both through the Ministry of Minority Affairs, as also through the Central Agency, returnable six weeks hence.

|(Chetan Kumar)  
|Court Master

|(Juginder Kaur)  
|Assistant Registrar