

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).13046/2012  
(From the judgement and order dated 13/03/2012 in WP No.325/2012 of The  
HIGH COURT OF BOMBAY)

INDIAN COMMERCIAL PILOTS ASSOCIATION Petitioner(s)  
VERSUS  
AIR INDIA LTD. & ORS. Respondent(s)  
(With appln(s) for directions and office report)

WITH CONMT.PET.(CRL) NO. 3 of 2012 in SLP (C) No. 13046/2012

Date: 27/08/2012 This Petition was called on for hearing today.

CORAM :

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HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE FAKKIR MOHAMED IBRAHIM KALIFULLA

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

CONMT.PET.(CRL) NO. 3 of 2012 in SLP (C) No. 13046/2012

Mr. Lalit Bhasin, learned counsel for the petitioner does not press  
this contempt petition. The same is accordingly dismissed as not  
pressed.

SPECIAL LEAVE PETITION NO. 13046/2012

This special leave petition is directed against an order dated  
13.03.2012 passed by the High Court of Judicature at Bombay in Writ  
Petition No. 325 of 2012 filed by Respondent No. 3 - Indian Pilots'  
Guild. When the matter came up for hearing before us on 23.04.2012, we  
had stayed the operation of the order passed by the High Court in the  
following words:-

"Issue notice.

Operation of the impugned order shall remain stayed pending further orders from this Court.

We make it clear that the training imparted to the members of the petitioner- Association shall remain subject to the final outcome of the writ petition and shall not prejudice the rights and contentions of the writ petitioners before the High Court in any manner.

The High Court is requested to expedite the hearing of the main petition and dispose the same off as far as possible within six months".

Learned counsel for the parties submit that the High Court has not so far disposed of the main petition in terms of the request made by this Court, although the matter is listed for hearing on the Daily Board. They further state that the arrangement made by this Court, in terms of the order reproduced above, could be continued pending final disposal of the writ petition by the High Court with a further request to it to expedite hearing in the writ petition. We see no reason to decline that limited prayer. We accordingly make our order dated 23.04.2012 absolute and dispose of the special leave petition with a request to the High Court to expedite hearing of the writ petition and to pass appropriate order on the same as early as possible preferably within a period of four months from today.

|(N.K. Goel)  
|Court Master

|(Veena Khera)  
|Court Master

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