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SLP(C)No. 16928 OF 2001

ITEM No.302 (Part-Heard)

Court No. 7

SECTION XV
A/N MATTER

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.16928/2001

(From the judgement and order dated 12/07/2001 in LPA 19/2000 in WP
No.5550/98 of The HIGH COURT OF BOMBAY)

BAJAJ AUTO LTD.

Petitioner (s)

VERSUS

R.P. SAWANT & ORS.

Respondent (s)

(With appln.(s) for permission to place addl. documents on record and
exemption from filing c/c of the impugned judgment and permission to
submit additional documents and appln. for intervention/impleadment
and with prayer for interim relief)

(For Final Disposal)

With

SLP(C)No.16938/2001, SLP(C)No.18254/2001, SLP(C)No.21280/2001,
SLP(C)No.21282/2001, SLP(C)No.21285/2001, SLP(C)No.21289/2001,
SLP(C)No.21930/2001

(With appln.(s) for exemption from filing c/c of the impugned judgment
and directions and permission to place addl. documents on record and
urging addl. grounds and permission to submit additional documents
and recalling the order dated 8.10.2001 and with prayer for interim
relief and with Office Report)

Date : 09/08/2002 These Petitions were called on for hearing today.

CORAM :

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE U.C. BANERJEE
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE Y.K. SABHARWAL

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UPON hearing counsel the Court made the following
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Leave granted in all the special leave petitions.

Liberty to apply before Hon'ble the Chief Justice of India for an early disposal of the appeals. Status quo as of date to continue.

At this juncture, however, the learned advocate appearing for the respondents submitted that there is a proposal for filing of an application and the status quo order should not be treated to be a bar in the matter of filing such an application. Since the application has not yet been filed, we are not in a position to make any further order on that excepting recording of such statement by the learned advocate.

Issue notice on the intervention application.

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(K.K. Chawla)
Court Master

(Shelly Sengupta)
Court Master