

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF INDIA
CIVIL APPELLATE JURISDICTION

CIVIL APPEAL NO(S).3800/2007

COMMISSIONER OF CUSTOMS, AHMEDABAD

APPELLANT (S)

VERSUS

M/S LALBHAI TRADING CO.

RESPONDENT (S)

O R D E R

The goods were imported by one M/s. Gold-en Plastics Company, Bombay against whom the proceedings were initiated by the Customs Department initially. However, after dissolution of the said firm, respondent herein, who was Customs House Agent of M/s. Gold-en Plastics Company, was roped in. The respondent challenged the order passed by the Tribunal. The Department took the objection that respondent was not an aggrieved person. However, we find that the reason for implicating the respondent was that he was not only Customs House Agent of M/s. Gold-en Plastics Company but had signed security bond as a surety. In view thereof he was surely an aggrieved person. We, thus do not find any error in the order of the High Court. The appeal is, accordingly, dismissed.

.....J.
[A.K. SIKRI]

.....J.
[ROHINTON FALI NARIMAN]

NEW DELHI;
OCTOBER 07, 2015

S U P R E M E C O U R T O F I N D I A
R E C O R D O F P R O C E E D I N G S

Civil Appeal No(s). 3800/2007

COMMR.OF CUSTOMS,AHMEDABAD

Appellant(s)

VERSUS

M/S LALBHAI TRADING CO.

Respondent(s)

(with office report)

Date : 07/10/2015 This appeal was called on for hearing today.

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE A.K. SIKRI
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ROHINTON FALI NARIMANFor Appellant(s) Mr. Arijit Prasad, Adv.
Ms. Shweta Garg, Adv.
Ms. Alka Agarwal, Adv.
Mr. B. Krishna Prasad,Adv.For Respondent(s) Mr. Somnath Shukla, Adv.
Mr. Udit Jain, Adv.
Mr. Praveen Kumar,Adv.UPON hearing the counsel the Court made the following
O R D E R

The Civil Appeal is dismissed in terms of the signed order.

Interlocutory Application(s) pending, if any, stands disposed
of accordingly.(Ashwani Thakur)
COURT MASTER(Renu Diwan)
COURT MASTER

(Signed order is placed on the file)