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Petition(s) for Special Leave to Appeal (Civil) No(s).2 0 3 8 9 / 2 0 0 4

(From the judgement and order dated 27 / 0 4 / 2 0 0 4 in CW P No. 12 3 7 9 / 2 0 0 3 of Th
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HIGH COURT OF PUN J A B & HAR Y A N A AT CHAND I G A R H)

STA T E OF PUN J A B & ORS.

Petitioner(s)

VE R S U S

KU L D E E P SINGH & ORS.

Respondent(s)

(With appln(s) for stay and prayer for interi m relief and office report)

Date: 11 / 0 7 / 2 0 0 7 This Petition was called on for hearing today.

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HON' B L E MR. JUS T I C E H.K. SE M A

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For Petitioner(s)

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For Respondent(s)

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

Leave granted.

The appeal is allowed in terms of the signed order and the
matter is remanded to the High Court for a fresh decision in the writ
petition in the light of the Umadevi's case (supra) and the policy decision
of the State.

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(signed order is placed on the file)
IN THE SUPREME COURT OF INDIA

CIVIL APPELLATE JURISDICTION

CIVIL APPEAL NO.2980 OF 2007
(arising out of SLP(C)No.20389 of 2004)

STATE OF PUNJAB AND ORS.

... APPELLANTS

VERSUS

KULDEEP SINGH & ORS.

... RESPONDENTS

ORDER

Leave granted.

Learned counsel on both the sides contended that the
controversy involved in this appeal is squarely covered by the

decision of Constitution Bench of this Court in Secretary,
State of Karnataka & Ors. vs. Uma Devi & Ors., (2006) 4 SCC
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This Court by an order dated September 07, 2006 in
the case of State of Punjab & Ors. vs. Lakhwinder Singh &
Ors., following the same judgment, remanded the matters to
the High Court for a fresh consideration in the light of the
decision rendered by this Court in Umadevi's case(supra) and
also the policy issued by the Government of Punjab.

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The appeal is, accordingly, allowed and the matter is
remanded to the High Court for a fresh decision in the writ
petition in the light of the Umadevi's case (supra) and the
policy decision of the State.

.....J.
(H.K. SEMA)

.....J.
(LOKESHWAR SINGH PANTA)

NEW DELHI,
JULY 11, 2007.