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SLP(C)No. 655-656 OF 1999

ITEM No.35

Court No. 2

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.655-656/1999

(From the judgement and order dated 01/04/1997 in WP 3963/94 and dated 4.9.98 in WPMP 28376/97 in WP 3963/94 of the HIGH COURT OF A.P AT HYDRABAD)

THE DEPOT MANAGER, A.P.S.R.T.C. & ANR.

Petitioner (s)

VERSUS

A.S. MD.HUSSAIN & ANR.

Respondent (s)

(With Appln(s). for c/delay in filing SLP)
(With prayer for interim relief) (With office report)

Date : 29/01/2001 This Petition was called on for hearing today.

CORAM :

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE S.P. BHARUCHA
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE Y.K. SABHARWAL

For Petitioner (s) Mr. L.N. Rao, Sr.Adv.
Mr. Guntur Prabhakar,Adv.

For Respondent (s) Mr. R. Santhana Krishnan, Adv.
Mr. D. Mahesh Babu,Adv.

UPON hearing counsel the Court made the following
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Leave granted.
The appeals are allowed. No order as to costs.

.SP1 (N. Annapurna) (Shelly Sengupta)
Court Master Court Master

(Signed order is placed on the file.)

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CIVIL APPEAL NOS. OF 2001@@
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(Arising out of S.L.P.(C) Nos.655-656/1999)

The Depot Manager, A.P.S.R.T.C. & Anr.Appellant(s)

versus

A.S. Md.Hussain & Anr. ...Respondent(s)

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Delay condoned.
Leave granted.

We have heard learned counsel. We are of the view that the brief order passed by the High Court cannot be sustained and the matter should go back to the High Court for being heard and decided afresh and the High Court should then pass an order which sets out its reasoning in far greater detail than does the order under challenge. We make it clear that we express no opinion on the merits.

The appeals are allowed. The orders under appeal are set aside. The Writ Petition (No.3963/94) is restored to the file of the High Court to be heard and disposed of afresh, expeditiously.

No order as to costs.

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(S.P. Bharucha)

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(Y.K. Sabharwal)

New Delhi,
January 29, 2001.