

S U P R E M E C O U R T O F I N D I A  
RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS

Petition for Special Leave to Appeal(C)Nos.11801-11804/2005  
(From the judgment and order dated 07/12/2004 in FAO No.4845/2003 & FAO  
No.4846/2003 & FAO No.4847/2003 & FAO No.4848/2003 of the HIGH COURT OF  
PUNJAB & HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH )

JAI PRAKASH

Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

M/S. NATIONAL INSURANCE CO. & ORS. Respondent(s)  
(With appln(s) for stay and prayer for interim relief and office report )  
(for final disposal)

Date: 25/09/2013 These Petitions were called on for hearing  
today.

CORAM :

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE H.L. DATTU  
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE M.Y. EQBAL  
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SHIVA KIRTI SINGH

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M/S. Law Associates ,Adv

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

Shri Gopal Subramaniam, learned amicus curiae has taken us through the order passed by this Court in the case of Jai Prakash vs. National Insurance Company Limited and Ors., reported in (2010) 2 SCC 607. He submits that pursuant to the directions issued by this Court in the aforesaid decision, the 17 insurance companies ought to have met and taken a positive decision to the suggestions made with regard to the remedial measures for compensation in motor accidents made by this Court.

The learned amicus curiae further submits that the insurance companies, as of now, have not filed any suggestions before this Court. He, therefore, seeks permission of this court to allow him as an amicus curiae to request the 17 insurance companies to meet and decide as to what steps are required to be taken pursuant to the directions issued by this Court in the case of Jai Prakash (supra).

He further seeks permission to communicate to the Central Government to come out with certain guidelines/amended laws in the Motor Vehicles Act, 1988 and the Rules framed therein pursuant to the directions issued by this Court in the case of Jai Prakash (supra).

Permission sought for is granted. The learned amicus curiae is permitted to communicate our order to the 17 insurance companies and request them to immediately respond to the suggestions made by this Court in Jai Prakash's case (supra).

We also permit the learned amicus curiae to communicate to the Central Government and reiterate them to come out with certain guidelines/amended laws in the Motor Vehicles Act, 1988 and the Rules framed therein pursuant to the suggestions/directions issued by this Court in Jai Prakash's case (supra).

Call the matter after twelve weeks positively.

(G.V.Ramana)  
Court Master

(Vinod Kulvi)  
Asstt.Registrar