

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(s).21200-21201/2005

(From the judgement and order dated 16/05/2005 in WA No. 2186/2004 & WA No. 2234/2004 of the HIGH COURT OF KERALA AT ERNAKULAM)

E.K. ANDREW

Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

STATE BANK OF INDIA & ANR.

Respondent(s)

Date: 24/04/2006 These Petitions were called on for hearing today.

CORAM :

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE S.B. SINHA

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE P.K. BALASUBRAMANYAN

For Petitioner(s)

Mr. Mathai M. Paikdey, Sr.Adv.

Mr. Sanjay Jain,Adv.

Mr. Mukesh Kumar, Adv.

For Respondent(s)

UPON hearing counsel the Court made the following

O R D E R

that the High Court The contention raised in these special leave petitions

should have awarded penal interest on the outstanding dues is a matter which was

within its discretionary jurisdiction. As the High Court has considered all aspects of the

matter and chose to grant nine per cent interest in favour of the petitioner, we are of the

opinion that it is not a fit case where we should exercise our jurisdiction under Article

136 of the Constitution of India.

The special leave petitions are, accordingly, dismissed.

(N. Annapurna)

Court Master

(Pushap Lata Bhardwaj)

Court Master