

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

CRIMINAL APPEAL NO.380 OF 1999

State of Himachal Pradesh Appellant(s)

VERSUS

Nikka Ram Respondent(s)

(With office report)

Date : 21/04/2004 This Appeal was called on for hearing today.

CORAM :

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE DORAISWAMY RAJU
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ARIJIT PASAYAT

For Appellant (s)Mr. J.S. Attri,Adv.

For Respondent (s)Mr. P.N. Puri,Adv.

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

The appeal is dismissed in terms of the signed order.

(Neena Verma) (Vijay Aggarwal)
Court Master Court Master

Signed order is placed on the file.

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Heard learned counsel for the parties.

The State of Himachal Pradesh has questioned correctness of the judgment of acquittal record ed by the High Court of Himachal Pradesh. After going through the judgments of the courts below and the evidence on record, we find that the view taken by the High Court is a possible and reasonable view. That being so, we do not consider this to be a fit case wherein any interference is called for. The appeal fails and shall stand dismissed.

.....J.

(DORAISWAMY RAJU)

.....J.

(ARIJIT PASAYAT)

New Delhi,

April 21, 2004.