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SLP(C)No. 18432 OF 2004

ITEM No.26 + 48

Court No. 6

SECTION XIIA

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.18432/2004

(From the judgement and order dated 20/08/2004 in CCCAMP 11633
of 2004 in CCCA 211/2004 of The HIGH COURT OF A.P AT HYDERABAD)

STAR INDIA PVT. LTD. PETITIONER (S)

VERSUS

M/S. INDUS IND MEDIA & COMMUNICATION LTD. RESPONDENT (S)
(With prayer for interim relief)

WITH SLP(C)No.19574/2004 - (With appln.(s) for exemption from
filing c/c of the impugned judgment and with prayer for interim
relief)

SLP(C)No.19577/2004 - (With prayer for interim relief)

Date : 17/09/2004 This Petition was called on for hearing today.

CORAM :

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SHIVARAJ V. PATIL
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE B.N. SRIKRISHNA

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

Heard learned Senior counsel for the parties.

Having due regard to the facts and circumstances of the cases, we think it is just and appropriate that the High Court disposes of the appeals pending before it as expeditiously as possible, preferably within a period of three months from today, the 17th September, 2004. The impugned order shall be operative as an interim order for a period of three months or the appeals are disposed of, whichever is earlier. If the said appeals are not disposed of within three months, the impugned order shall stand vacated. Parties shall co-operate in disposal of the appeals within time as stated above.

The special leave petitions are disposed of in the above terms.

Sarita
Court Master

(Shelly Sengupta)