

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.99 OF 1998

SURENDRA KUMAR & ORS. Appellant (s)

VERSUS

STATE OF BIHAR Respondent (s)
(with office report)

Date : 12/02/2004 This Petition was called on for hearing today.

CORAM :

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE DORAISWAMY RAJU
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ARIJIT PASAYATFor Appellant (s)Mr. Manish Mohan, Adv. for
Mr. US Prasad, Adv.For Respondent(s)Mr. Kumar Rajesh Singh, Adv. for
Mr. BB Singh, Adv.

UPON hearing counsel the Court made the following

O R D E R

The appeal was filed with the erstwhile undivided State of Bihar as party-respondent. Subsequent to the carving out of certain territorial areas from the said State and the constitution of a new State-State of Jharkhand, the areas from which this appeal arise as well as the law enforcing authorities relating to the same have fallen into the territorial limits of Jharkhand. Hence, State of Jharkhand shall stand impleaded as party respondent to the appeal in the place of original respondent. The counsel for the appellants is permitted to serve on Mr. Ashok Mathur, standing counsel for the State of Jharkhand. On being so served he may get proper instructions to appear and defend the case. Adjourned by six weeks.

(D.L.Chugh) (Vijay Aggarwal)
AR-cum-PS Court Master