

**IN THE SUPREME COURT OF INDIA
CIVIL APPELLATE JURISDICTION**

CIVIL APPEAL NO.710 OF 2015

INDIAN INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY

APPELLANT

VERSUS

R.VENKATRAMANI AND ORS.

RESPONDENTS

O R D E R

1. On the last date of hearing, time was granted to the learned counsel for the parties to obtain instructions as to whether the appellant had disbursed the payment of the amounts awarded in favour of each of the respondents, in the light of the fact that this Court had not stayed the operation of the impugned Award passed by the Labour Court, Chennai.

2. Learned counsel for the appellant states on instructions that a total sum of ₹52,13,108/- (Rupees fifty-two lakhs thirteen thousand one hundred and eight only) has been disbursed to the respondents-employees.

3. In view of the above submission and having regard to the long passage of time, we are of the opinion that no useful purpose would be served in proceeding further with the matter, more so, when none of the respondents are in touch with learned counsel representing them and also taking into account the economic background of the respondents who were working as cooks, servers, servants, cleaners, etc. in the hostel.

4. The appeal is disposed of along with pending application(s), if any.

5. It is made clear that the question of law raised in the present appeal is kept open for adjudication in an appropriate case.

.....J.
(HIMA KOHLI)

.....J.
(RAJESH BINDAL)

NEW DELHI
09th AUGUST, 2023

ITEM NO.107

COURT NO.11

SECTION XII

S U P R E M E C O U R T O F I N D I A
R E C O R D O F P R O C E E D I N G S

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Date : 09-08-2023 This appeal was called on for hearing today.

CORAM :

HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE HIMA KOHLI
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJESH BINDAL

For Appellant(s) Mr. Anuj Panwar, Adv.
Mr. Nikilesh Ramachandran, AOR

For Respondent(s) Mr. V. Prabhakar, Adv.
Jyoti Parashar, Adv.
Mr. N.J. Ramchandar, Adv.
Mr. R. Chandrachud, AOR

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

The appeal is disposed of along with pending
application(s), if any, in terms of the signed
order.

(Geeta Ahuja)
Assistant Registrar-cum-PS
(Signed Order is placed on the file)

(Nand Kishor)
Court Master (NSH)