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SLP(C)No. 20456-20457 OF 2000
ITEM No.1
NMD CASE

Court No. 4

SECTION XIA
A/N MATTER

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R E C O R D O F P R O C E E D I N G S

Petition(s) for Special Leave to Appeal (Civil) No.20456-20457/2000
(From the judgement and order dated 16/11/2000 in OP 27028/2000
and 27630/2000 of The HIGH COURT OF KERALA AT ERNAKULAM)

K. SREEKUMAR @ JAGATHY SREEKUMAR & ANR. Petitioner (s)

VERSUS

STATE OF KERALA & ORS. Respondent (s)

(With prayer for interim relief and office report)
(With Appln(s). for permission to submit additional document(s))
(For Final Disposal)

Date : 11/04/2001 This Petition was called on for hearing today.

CORAM :

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE G.B. PATTANAIAK
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE U.C. BANERJEE
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE S.N. VARIAVA

For Petitioner (s) Mr. L. Nageswara Rao, Sr. Adv.
Mr. E.M.S. Anam, Adv.
Mr. T. Ravikumar, Mr. Fazlin Anam, Advs.

For Respondent (s) Mr.C.S. Vaidyanathan, Sr.Adv.
Mr. G. Prakash, Adv.

UPON hearing counsel the Court made the following
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Having heard Mr. Nageswara Rao, the learned senior counsel appearing for the petitioners, at length, we see no infirmity with the impugned order of the High Court so as to be interfered with by this Court under Article 136 of the Constitution of India. It appears to us that the accused persons are trying to evade and prolong the trial. The concerned Sessions Judge is directed to conclude the proceedings as expeditiously as possible, particularly in view of the gravity of charges.

The Special Leave Petitions accordingly stand dismissed.

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(J.S. Rawat)
Court Master

(Suneet Bala Sharma)
Court Master