

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(s).22619-22620/2004

(From the judgement and interim orders dated 23/09/2003 and 02/09/2003
in WP (Stamp) No.6354/2003 and WP No.3806/2004 of the HIGH COURT OF
BOMBAY)

HEMANT ATMARAM SHINDE & ORS.

Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

UNION OF INDIA & ORS.

Respondent(s)

(With Appln(s) for c/delay in filing SLP, exemption from filing c/c of the impugned Judgment a
nd c/delay
in filing rejoinder and with prayer
for interim relief)

Date: 01/04/2005 These Petitions were called on for hearing today.

CORAM :

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE P. VENKATARAMA REDDI

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE A.K. MATHUR

For Petitioner(s)

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UPON hearing counsel the Court made the following

O R D E R

Delay condoned.

order of the High Court of Judicature at Bombay declining to grant interim relief pending the disposal of the writ petitions directed against the order of the Central Administrative Tribunal by which the Tribunal upheld the revised seniority list prepared by the Department. We are not inclined to interfere in the matter at this stage, especially having regard to the fact that the hearing of the writ

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petitions has been ordered to be expedited by the High Court. The High

Court may dispose of the writ petitions at an early date, preferably within six months. The respondents-authorities shall, as far as possible, endeavour to avert reversion of the petitioners from their present positions pending the disposal of the writ petitions.

The special leave petitions are dismissed with the above observations.

(A.S. BISHT)
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