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ITEM NO.1B  
(For Judgment)

COURT NO.6

SECTION XIA

RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS  
SUPREME COURT OF INDIA

CIVIL APPEAL NO. 5942 OF 2007  
(Arising out of SLP(C) No. 20754/2003)

ASOKAN Appellant(s)

VERSUS

LAKSHMIKUTTY AND ORS. Respondent(s)

Date: 14/12/2007 This matter was called on for pronouncement  
of Judgment today.

For Appellant(s) Mr. M.P. Vinod,Adv.

For Respondent(s) Mr. Subramonium Prasad,Adv.

Hon'ble Mr. Justice S.B. Sinha pronounced the Judgment of the  
Bench comprising of His Lordship and Hon'ble Mr. Justice H.S.  
Bedi.

Leave granted.

For the reasons contained in the signed judgment, the  
judgments of the High Court as also the first Appellate Court are set  
aside and that of the Trial Court is restored. The appeal is allowed. No  
costs.

(A.S. BISHT)  
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(PUSHAP LATA BHARDWAJ)  
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(Signed reportable judgment is placed on the file)