SUPREME COURT OF INDIA RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS

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I.A. 23/2016, I.A. 24/2016, I.A. 25/2016 in Civil Appeal No(s).
3259-3271/2014

UNION OF INDIA & ORS.

Appellant(s)

VERSUS

JARNAIL SINGH & ORS

Respondent(s)

(For substitution and c/delay in filing substitution appln. and setting aside an abatement and office report)

Date: 25/04/2016 This application was called on for hearing today.

CORAM :

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE UDAY UMESH LALIT [IN CHAMBERS]

For Appellant(s) Mr. Arun Kumar Singh, Adv.
Mr. S. N. Terdal
Mrs. Anil Katiyar, Adv.

For Respondent(s) Mr. Avijit Bhattacharjee, Adv.

UPON hearing the counsel the Court made the following O R D E R $\,$

By these applications, prayer has been made for substitution to bring on record the legal representatives of respondent no. 13 in Civil Appeal No. 3262/2014, of respondent No. 3 in Civil Appeal No. 3263/2014, of respondent No. 20 in Civil Appeal No. 3268/2014 and of respondent No. 8 in Civil Appeal No. 3268/2014 and of respondent No. 8 in Civil Appeal No. 3269/2014. According to the report, these applications are barred by time by 2010, 2764, 2087 and 2210 days respectively.

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This appeal at the instance of Union of India challenges the order of the High Court wherein Union of India was the respondent before the High Court. The deaths of the aforesaid respondents in various civil appeals had occurred while the matters were pending in High Court. However, no steps were taken by to bring the legal representatives of the deceased respondents on record.

In these circumstances, the delay in preferring the application for substitution is condoned. The abatement, if any, stands set aside. Applications for substitution are allowed. The Amended Cause Title be filed within two weeks. The Registry to act accordingly.

(A.D. SHARMA)
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(SUMAN JAIN)
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