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**CENTRAL ADMINISTRATIVE TRIBUNAL  
PRINCIPAL BENCH**

**OA No. 819/2004**

**with**

**OA 822/2004, OA 863/2004, OA 1915/2004**

**OA 337/2005, OA 423/2005, OA 142/2006**

**OA 422/2005 and OA 1916/2004**

**New Delhi this the 13th day of May. 2008**

**Hon'ble Mr. Justice M. Ramachandran, Vice Chairman (J)**

**Hon'ble Mrs. Venna Chhotray, Member (A)**

1. Shri Hari Om,  
S/o Shri Charan Singh,  
Khallasi, Sr. Section Engineer ( Works),  
Northern Railway, Punjabi Bagh, New Delhi.
  2. Shri Hargian Singh,  
S/o Shri Sis Ram, Fitter,  
Senior Section Engineer (Works),  
Northern Railway, Punjabi Bagh, New Delhi.
  3. Shri Raj Man,  
S/o Shri Ram Avtar, Khallasi,  
Senior Section Engineer (Works),  
Northern Railway, Punjab Bagh, New Delhi.
  4. Shri Ram Navami,  
S/o Shri Mangal Karni, Khallasi,  
Senior Section Engineer (Works),  
Northern Railway, Punjab Bagh, New Delhi.
  5. Shri Ram Piarey,  
S/o Shri Ram Dass, Painter,  
Senior Section Engineer (Works),  
Northern Railway, Punjab Bagh, New Delhi.
  6. Shri Shiv Shanker,  
S/o Shri Dev Narain,  
Khallasi,  
Senior Section Engineer (Works),  
Northern Railway, Punjab Bagh, New Delhi.
  7. Shri Sham Lal,  
S/o Shri Hanuman,  
Fitter,  
Senior Section Engineer (Works),  
Northern Railway, Punjab Bagh,  
New Delhi.
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8. Shri Nimai  
S/o Shri Sashi  
Carpainter  
Senior Section Engineer (Works),  
Northern Railway, Punjabi Bagh New Delhi
9. Shri Ram Kishore,  
S/o Shri Ram Dularey,  
Khallasi  
Senior Section Engineer (Works)  
Northern Railway, Punjabi Bagh New Delhi.
10. Shri Mohd Hussain  
S/o Shri Isfaq Hussain  
Khallasi,  
Senior Section Engineer (Works)  
Northern Railway, Punjabi Bagh New Delhi.
11. Shri Sant Ram,  
S/o Sh. Sita Ram  
Senior Section Engineer (Works)  
Northern Railway, Punjabi Bagh New Delhi.
12. Bisheswar  
S/o Sh. Ram Prasad,  
Khallasi,  
Senior Section Engineer (Works)  
Northern Railway, Punjabi Bagh New Delhi.

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( By Advocate Shri Manjeet Singh Reen )  
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VERSUS

- Union of India through
1. The General Manager,  
Northern Railway,  
Baroda House,  
New Delhi.
  2. The Divisional Railway Manager,  
Northern Railway,  
State Entry Road,  
New Delhi
  3. The Section Engineer (Works)  
Northern Railway,  
Punjabi Bagh, New Delhi-110034

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( By Advocate Sh R.L. Dhawan for Sh Narain Bhatia )

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OA No. 822/2004

1. Shri OM Parkash  
S/o Shri Harkey  
Carpenter  
Under Section Engineer (works).  
Northern Railway Delhi.  
Kishan Ganj-I, Delhi- 110007.
  2. Shri Vishnu  
S/o Shri Gopal  
Mason  
Under section Engineer (Works).  
Northern Railway Delhi  
Kishan Ganj-I, Delhi-110007.
  3. Shri Ram Lal  
S/o Shri Kanhiya Lal  
Khallasi  
Under Section Engineer(Works).  
Northern Railway Delhi  
Kishan Ganj-I, Delhi-110007.
  4. Shri Hari Lal  
S/o Shri Surjan  
Khallasi  
Under Section Engineer (Works).  
Northern Railway Delhi  
Kishan Ganj-I, Delhi.
  5. Shri Dukh Saran  
S/o Shri Surjan  
Fitter  
Under Section Engineer (Works).  
Northern Railway Delhi  
Kishan Ganj-I, Delhi.
  6. Shri Jeewan Lal  
S/o Shri Raja Ram  
Fitter  
Under Section Engineer (Works).  
Northern Railway Delhi  
Kishan Ganj-I, Delhi.
  7. Sh. Laljit  
S/o Shri Phool Singh  
Khallasi  
Under Section Engineer (Works).  
Northern Railway Delhi  
Kishan Ganj-I, Delhi.
  8. Shri Ram Saroop  
S/o Shri Agwan  
Mason  
Under Section Engineer (Works).  
Northern Railway Delhi  
Kishan Ganj-I, Delhi.
  9. Shri Gum Bahadur  
S/o Shri Tara Bahadur  
Khallasi  
Under Section Engineer (Works).  
Northern Railway Delhi  
Kishan Ganj-I, Delhi.
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(By Advocate Shri Manjeet Singh Reen )

VERSUS

UNION OF INDIA : THROUGH

1. The General Manager  
North ern Railway  
Baroda House  
New Delhi.
2. The Divisional Railway Manager,  
Northern Railway,  
State Entry Road,  
New Delhi.
3. The Section Engineer (Works).  
Northern Railway  
Delhi Kishan Ganj - I  
Delhi.

... Respondents.

(By Advocate Shri Sat Pal Singh )

OA No. 863/2004

1. Shri Rajender Kumar  
S/o Shri Ram Ashrey,  
khallasi,  
Senior Section Engineer (Works),  
Northern Railway,  
Shakur Basti, Delhi.
  2. Shri Bhagal Ram  
S/o Shri Acharaj Lal,  
Fitter,  
Senior Section Engineer (Works),  
Northern Railway,  
Shakur Basti, Delhi.
  3. Shri Guru Prasad  
S/o Shri Baboo Lal,  
Carpainter,  
Senior Section Engineer (Works),  
Northern Railway,  
Shakur Basti, Delhi.
  4. Shri Baboo Lal  
S/o Shri Gopal Om,  
Black smith,  
Senior Section Engineer (Works),  
Northern Railway,  
Shakur Basti, Delhi.
  5. Shri Birdhi Chand  
S/o Shri Kishori,  
Store chowkidar,  
Senior Section Engineer (Works),  
Northern Railway,  
Shakur Basti, Delhi.
  6. Shri Ram Abhilakh  
S/o Shri Nageshwar,  
khallasi,  
Senior Section Engineer (Works),  
Northern Railway,  
Shakur Basti, Delhi.
  7. Shri Raj Kumar  
S/o Shri Sashi,  
Carpainter,  
Senior Section Engineer (Works),  
Northern Railway,  
Shakur Basti, Delhi.
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8. Shri Shyam Lal  
S/o Shri Sibi Pal  
khallasi,  
Senior Section Engineer (Works),  
Northern Railway,  
Shakur Basti, Delhi.
9. Shri Pati Raj  
S/o Shri Pheroo,  
Carpainter,  
Senior Section Engineer (Works),  
Northern Railway,  
Shakur Basti, Delhi.
10. Shri Ram Gopal  
S/o Shri Ram Swroop,  
R.H.S. Wala,  
Senior Section Engineer (Works),  
Northern Railway,  
Shakur Basti, Delhi.
11. Shri Asha Ram  
S/o Shri Mangloo Ram,  
khallasi,  
Senior Section Engineer (Works),  
Northern Railway,  
Shakur Basti, Delhi.
12. Shri Babby  
S/o Shri Kuldeep,  
khallasi,  
Senior Section Engineer (Works),  
Northern Railway,  
Shakur Basti, Delhi.

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'By Advocate Shri Manjeet Singh (Respondent)

Union of India through **VERSUS**

1. The General Manager,  
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Northern Railway,  
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New Delhi.
3. The Section Engineer (Works),  
Northern Railway,  
Shakur Basti, Delhi.

... Respondents.

( By Advocate Shri Sat Pal Singh )

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OA 1915/2004

1. Shri Lajpat Rai,  
S/o Shri Kirpal Ram  
Mali,  
Under Sr. Section Engineer(horticulture),  
Northern Railway,  
New Delhi.
2. Shri Harinder Singh  
S/o Shri Muley Singh  
S.E.  
Under ADN (Horticulture),  
Northern Railway,  
New Delhi.
3. Shri Suraj Bhan  
S/o Shri Shiv Narain,  
Mali,  
Under Sr. Section Engineer(Horticulture),  
Northern Railway,  
New Delhi.
4. Shri Vishnu Dutt.  
S/o Shri Bhoomal  
Mali,  
Under Sr. Section Engineer(Horticulture),  
Northern Railway,  
New Delhi.
5. Gopal  
S/o Shri Bodhey Ram  
Mali  
Under Sr. Section Engineer(Horticulture),  
Northern Railway,  
New Delhi.
6. Shri Baboo Lal.  
S/o Shri Ram Sahai,  
Mali,  
Under Sr. Section Engineer(Horticulture),  
Northern Railway,  
New Delhi.

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7. Shri Pawan Kumar,  
S/o Shri Lekh Raj,  
Mali,  
Under Sr. Section Engineer(Horticulture),  
Northern Railway,  
New Delhi.
8. Shri Gopal Dutt,  
S/o Shri Lekh Raj,  
Mali,  
Under Sr. Section Engineer(Horticulture),  
Northern Railway,  
New Delhi.
9. Sh. Ganshyam,  
S/o Sh. Sabhapati.  
Mali,  
Under Sr. Section Engineer(Horticulture),  
Northern Railway,  
New Delhi.
10. Sh. Mohhamaddin  
S/o Shri Sal Mohammad.  
Mali,  
Under Sr. Section Engineer(Horticulture),  
Northern Railway,  
New Delhi.
11. Shri Hari Krishan Malhtora,  
S/o Sh. Kirpa Ram  
Sr. Clerk,  
Under ADEN (Horticulture),  
Northern Railway,  
New Delhi.
12. Sh. Ram Dev.  
S/o Sh. Ram Piarey,  
Mali,  
Under Sr. Section Engineer(Horticulture),  
Northern Railway,  
New Delhi.
13. Sh. Rajesh Kumar,  
S/o Sh. Jagan Nath,  
Clerk,  
Under DSE (V),  
Northern Railway,  
New Delhi.

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14. Sh. Mukesh,  
S/o Sh. Sri Ram,  
Mali,  
Under Sr. Section Engineer(Horticulture),  
Northern Railway,  
New Delhi.
15. Harpal Singh,  
S/o Sh. Chatter Pal Singh,  
Mali,  
Under Sr. Section Engineer(Horticulture),  
Northern Railway,  
New Delhi.
16. Sh. Hari Kishan,  
S/o Sh. Bishni  
Mali,  
Under Sr. Section Engineer(Horticulture),  
Northern Railway,  
New Delhi.
17. Sh. Ram Phool,  
S/o Sh. Ram Jug,  
Mali,  
Under Sr. Section Engineer(Horticulture),  
Northern Railway,  
New Delhi.
18. Mahesh  
S/o Sh. Birjoo,  
Mali,  
Under Sr. Section Engineer(Horticulture),  
Northern Railway,  
New Delhi.
19. Om Lal Chugh,  
S/o Sh. Mohn Ram Chugh,  
Sr. Typist,  
Under Divisional Railway Manager,  
Northern Railway,  
State Entry Road,  
New Delhi.
20. Harpal  
S/o Shri Mangal,  
Mali,  
Under Sr. Section Engineer(Horticulture),  
Northern Railway,  
New Delhi.

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21. Krishan Pal  
S/o Sh. Bishamber Dass,  
Mali,  
Under Sr. Section Engineer(Horticulture),  
Northern Railway,  
New Delhi.

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( By Advocate Shri Manjeet Singh Reen )  
VERSUS

UNION OF INDIA : THROUGH

- 1, The General Manager,  
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Northern Railway,  
State Entry Road,  
New Delhi.
3. The Sr. Section Engineer (Horticulture),  
Northern Railway,  
New Delhi.
4. The Sr. Divisional Finance Manager,  
Northern Railway,  
State Entry Road,  
New Delhi.

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( By Advocate Shri R.L.Dhawan )



OA No. 337/ 2005

- 1, Shri Daya Shankar Singh,  
S/o Shri Raj Karan Singh,  
Mali Khallasi  
Under Section Engineer (Horticulture),  
Northern Railway,  
Hazrat Nizamuddin,  
New Delhi.
- 2, Shri Vasdev  
S/o Shri Muneshwar,  
Mali Khallasi,  
Under Section Engineer (Horticulture),  
Northern Railway,  
Hazrat Nizamuddin,  
New Delhi.
- 3, Shri Tara Chand,  
S/o Shri Nathu Ram,  
Mali Khallasi,  
Under Section Engineer (Horticulture),  
Northern Railway,  
Hazrat Nizamuddin,  
New Delhi.
- 4, Shri Sohan Pal  
S/o Shri Mangloo Ram,  
Mali,  
Under Sr. Section Engineer (Horticulture),  
Northern Railway,  
New Delhi.
- 5, Shri Jagdish,  
S/o Shri Ram Chander,  
Mali,  
Under Section Engineer (Horticulture),  
Northern Railway,

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- 6, Hazrat Nizamuddin, New Delhi.  
Shri Prem Chand,  
S/o Shri Yad Ram,  
Mali  
Under Section Engineer (Horticulture),  
Northern Railway,  
Hazrat Nizamuddin,  
New Delhi.
- 7, Shri Yed Ram,  
S/o Shri Neh Pal,  
Mali,  
Under Section Engineer (Horticulture),  
Northern Railway,  
Hazrat Nizamuddin,  
New Delhi.
- 8, Shri Ram Ujjagir Singh,  
S/o Shri Ram Dev Singh,  
Mali,  
Under Section Engineer (Horticulture),  
Northern Railway,  
Hazrat Nizamuddin,  
New Delhi.
- 9, Shri Sri Chand,  
S/o Shri Shis Ram,  
Mali,  
Under Section Engineer (Horticulture),  
Northern Railway,  
Hazrat Nizamuddin,  
New Delhi.
- 10, Shri Ram Jeewan,  
S/o Shri Bhagwandin,  
Mali,  
Under Section Engineer (Horticulture),  
Northern Railway,  
Hazrat Nizamuddin,  
New delhi.
- 11, Shri Salik Ram,  
S/o Shri Satya Narain Singh,  
Mali,  
Under Section Engineer (Horticulture),  
Northern Railway,  
Hazrat Nizamuddin,



- New Delhi.
- 12, Shri Om Prakash,  
S/o Shri Ram Saran,  
Mali,  
Under Section Engineer (Horticulture),  
Northern Railway,  
Hazrat Nizamuddin,  
New Delhi.
- 13, Shri Sher Singh,  
S/o Shri Lal Man,  
Mali,  
Under Section Engineer (Horticulture),  
Northern Railway,  
Hazrat Nizamuddin,  
New Delhi.
- 14, Shri Ramesh Chand Sharma,  
S/o Shri Bhagwati Prasad,  
Mali,  
Under Section Engineer (Horticulture),  
Northern Railway,  
Hazrat Nizamuddin,  
New Delhi.
- 15, Shri Amar Singh,  
S/o Shri Jag Ram,  
Mali,  
Under Section Engineer (Horticulture),  
Northern Railway,  
Hazrat Nizamuddin,  
New Delhi.
- 16, Shri Pana Bahadur,  
S/o Shri Kaman Singh,  
Mali,  
Under Section Engineer (Horticulture),  
Northern Railway,  
Hazrat Nizamuddin,  
New Delhi.
- 17, Shri Jagdish Kumar,  
S/o Shri Shyam Lal,  
Mali,  
Under Section Engineer (Horticulture),  
Northern Railway,  
Hazrat Nizamuddin, New Delhi.

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- 1, The General Manager,  
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- 2, The Divisional Railway Manager,  
Northern Railway,  
State Entry Road,  
New Delhi.
- 3, The Sr. Divisional Finance Manager,  
Northern Railway,  
State Entry Road,  
New Delhi.

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( By Advocate Shri Sat Pal Singh )

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OA 423/ 2005

- 1, Shri Shiv Dularey,  
S/o Shri Bramh Dutt.  
Mali,  
Under Junior Engineer (Horticulture),  
Northern Railway,  
Sarojini Nagar,  
New Delhi.
- 2, Shri Ganga Din,  
S/o Shri Dhaneshwar Yadav,  
Mali,  
Under Junior Engineer (Horticulture),  
Northern Railway,  
Sarojini Nagar,  
New Delhi.
- 3, Shri Budh Ram,  
S/o Shri Jai Nath,  
Mali,  
Under Junior Engineer (Horticulture),  
Northern Railway,  
Sarojini Nagar,  
New Delhi.
- 4, Shri Chandgi Ram,  
S/o Shri Deep Chand,  
Mali  
Under Junior Engineer (Horticulture),  
Northern Railway,  
Sarojini Nagar,  
New Delhi.
- 5, Shri Budhu Singh,  
S/o Shri Keli Ram,  
Mali  
Under Junior Engineer (Horticulture),  
Northern Railway,  
S.P Marg,  
New Delhi.

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6. Shri Hawladar Singh,  
S/o Shri Avadh Naresh Singh,  
Helper Khallasi,  
Under Dy. C.O.S.,  
Northern Railway,  
Shakurbasti,  
New Delhi.

... Applicants.

( By Advocate Shri Manjeet Singh Reen )

UNION OF INDIA : THROUGH VERSUS

- 1, The General Manager,  
Northern Railway,  
Baroda House,  
New Delhi.
- 2, The Divisional Railway Manager,  
Northern Railway,  
State Entry Road,  
New Delhi.
- 3, The Sr. Divisional Finance Manager,  
Northern Railway,  
State Entry Road,  
New Delhi.

... Respondents.

( By Advocate Shri R.L. Dhawan )



OA 142/2006

1. Shri Jai Ram.  
S/o Bhagwan Din  
Mali
2. Shri Istqak Ali  
S/o Shri Farzand Ali,  
Mali
- 3, Shri Suresh Singh  
S/o Shri Sankatha Singh,  
Mali,
- 4, Shri Ram Samujh.  
S/o Shri Ram Bax  
Mali,
- 5, Shri Mahavir Prashad  
S/o Shri Ram  
Mali
- 6, Shri Hira Lal.  
S/o Shri Sita Ram,  
Mali,
- 7, Shri Bodh Raj,  
S/o Shri Hori Lal,  
Mali,
- 8, Shri Madan Lal,  
S/o Shri Surjan Singh,  
Mali,
- 9, Sh. Anoop Singh,  
S/o Sh. Chattar Dhara Singh.  
Mali,
- 10, Sh. Ram Samujh  
S/o Shri Triveni  
Mali,



21, Shri Om Prakash,  
S/o Shri Ham Raj,  
Mali,

All the applicants working Under Sr. Section  
Engineer (Horticulture),  
Northern Railway,  
New Delhi.

11, Shri Nourang,  
S/o Sh. Ismael  
Mali,

12, Sh. Shiv Shanker.  
S/o Sh. Kali Prasad,  
Mali,

13, Sh. Jagir Chand,  
S/o Sh. Dharam Chand,  
Black Smith

14, Sh. Vijay Bahadur,  
S/o Sh. Sukh Ram,  
Mali,

15, Sh. Balraj,  
S/o Sh. Dharam Singh,  
Mali,

16, Sh. Daud Ram,  
S/o Sh. Kaday  
Mali,

17, Sh. Dharmpal,  
S/o Sh. Girhwar  
Field Man

18, Shri Ram Singh  
S/o Sh. Ratiram  
Mali,

19, Shri Ram Phavry  
S/o Sh. Panchuram,  
Mali,

20, Shri Mahinder Singh,  
S/o Shri Ram Sarup,  
Mali,

22, Shri Om Prakash  
S/o Sh. Hargu Lal,  
CG-I,  
Under Dy. CAO/TA,  
Northern Railway,  
New Delhi.

23, Shri Manjupal  
S/o Shri Ravi Pal,  
Khallasi  
Under Dy. CAO/TA,  
Northern Railway,  
New Delhi.

24, Shri Ramji Lal  
S/o Shri Babu Ram,  
CG-II.  
Under Dy. CAO/TA,  
Northern Railway,  
New Delhi.

25, Shri Shiv Shanker Singh,  
S/o Shri Satya Narain Singh,  
Sr. Clerk  
Under Dy. Secy. G.M,  
Northern Railway,  
Baroda House,  
New Delhi.

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Northern Railway, New Delhi.

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(BY Advocate Shri R.L. Dhawan )



OA No. 422/2005

- 1, Smt. Gayatri Devi,  
W/o Late Sh. L.N. Mishra,  
Mali,  
Under Sr. Section Engineer (Horticulture),  
Northern Railway,  
Hazrat Nizamuddin,  
New Delhi.
- 2, Smt. Bimla Devi,  
W/o Late Sh. Ram Singh,  
R/o Jhuggi No-210, Railway Colony,  
Tughlakabad,  
New Delhi.
- 3, Smt. Shama Devi,  
W/o Late SH. Gaya Prasad,  
R/o Railway Nursery,  
Kishan Ganj,  
Delhi- 110 007.
- 4, Smt. Atwari Devi,  
W/o Late SH. Ram Dulary,  
R/o Jyoti Park,  
Kishan Ganj,  
Delhi - 110 007.

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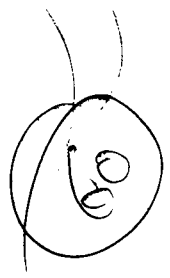
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| 1, The General Manager,<br>Northern Railway,<br>Baroda House,<br>New Delhi.                | 3. The Sr. Divnl. Finance<br>Manager, Northern Rly.,<br>State Entry Road N-Delhi |
| 2, The Divisional Railway Manager,<br>Northern Railway,<br>State Entry Road,<br>New Delhi. |  |

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OA 1916/2004

1. Shri Chander Bhan.  
S/o Nanwa Ram  
Mali,  
Under Junior Engineer ( Horticulture),  
Northern Railway,  
S.P. Marg,  
New Delhi.
2. Shri Ambica Prasad.  
S/o Sh. Gurphekan,  
Mali,  
Under Junior Engineer(Horticulture),  
Northern Railway,  
S.P. Marg,  
New Delhi.
3. Sh. Ram Rattan,  
S/o Sh. Ram Laturey,  
Mali,  
Under Junior Engineer(Horticulture),  
Northern Railway,  
S.P. Marg,  
New Delhi.
4. Sh. Kaloo,  
S/o Sh. Giarsa,  
Mali,  
Under Junior Engineer(Horticulture),  
Northern Railway,  
S.P. Marg,  
New Delhi.
5. Sh. Dukhi Lal,  
S/o Sh. Chhotey Lal,  
Mali,  
Under Junior Engineer (Horticulture),  
Northern Railway,  
S.P. Marg,  
New Delhi.

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- 6, Sh. Moti Lal,  
S/o Sh. Harbhazan Singh  
Mali,  
Under Junior Engineer (Horticulture),  
Northern Railway,  
S.P. Marg,  
New Delhi.
- 7, Sh. Lalai,  
S/o Sh. Ram Murat,  
Mali,  
Under Junior Engineer(Horticulture),  
Northern Railway,  
S.P Marg,  
New Delhi.
- 8, Sh. Dushrath  
S/o Sh. Shiv Nath,  
Mali  
Under Junior Engineer(Horticulture),  
Northern Railway,  
S.P. Marg,  
New Delhi.
- 9, Sh. Om Prakash,.  
S/o Sh. Dhanna Ram,  
Mali  
Under Junior Engineer(Horticulture),  
Northern Railway,  
S.P Marg,  
New Delhi.
- 10, Shri Badri,  
S/o Sh. Ram Shankar,  
Mali,  
Under Junior Engineer(Horticulture),  
Northern Railway,  
S.P. Marg,  
New Delhi.
- 11, Shri Ram Pher,  
S/o Shri Shuetala Deen  
Mali,  
Under Junior Engineer(Horticulture),  
Northern Railway,  
S.P. Marg,  
New Delhi.

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- 12, Shri Ram Sawami  
S/o Shri. Amais  
Mali,  
Under Junior Engineer (Horticulture),  
Northern Railway,  
S.P. Marg,  
New Delhi.
- 13, Shri Mahadev Singh,  
S/o Shri Ram Dass Singh,  
Mali,  
Under Junior Engineer(Horticulture),  
Northern Railway,  
S.P. Marg,  
New Delhi.
- 14, Shri Kaloo  
S/o Shri Baboo Lal,  
Mali,  
Under Junior Engineer(Horticulture),  
Northern Railway,  
S.P. Marg,  
New Delhi.
15. Shri Daya Kishan,  
S/o Shri Ram Chander,  
Mali,  
Under Junior Engineer (Horticulture),  
Northern Railway,  
S.P Marg,  
New Delhi.
16. Shri Ram Parsad.  
S/o Shri Ram Avtar,  
Mali,  
Under Junior Engineer(Horticulture),  
Northern Railway,  
S.P. Marg,  
New Delhi.
17. Shri Behari Lal,  
S/o Shri Ram Khilwan,  
Mali,  
Under Junior Engineer(Horticulture),  
Northern Railway,  
S.P. Marg,  
New Delhi.

18. Shri Gulbir Singh  
S/o Shri Ram Sharan,  
Mali,  
Under Junior Engineer (Horticulture),  
Northern Railway,  
S.P. Marg,  
New Delhi.
19. Shri Badri,  
S/o Shri Mohan  
Mali  
Under Junior Engineer (Horticulture),  
Northern Railway,  
S.P. Marg,  
New Delhi.
20. Shri Mohan Lal,  
S/o Shri Ganesh  
Mali,  
Under Junior Engineer (Horticulture),  
Northern Railway,  
S.P. Marg,  
New Delhi.
21. Shri Ram Pal  
S/o Shri Gian Chand,  
Mali,  
Under Junior Engineer (Horticulture),  
Northern Railway,  
S.P. Marg,  
New Delhi.
22. Shri Rohtas,  
S/o Shri Bihari Lal,  
Mali,  
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- ... Applicants.

( By Advocate Shri Manjeet Singh Reen )  
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- I, The General Manager,  
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Baroda House,  
New Delhi.

2. The Divisional Railway Manager,  
Northern Railway,  
State Entry Road, New Delhi.
  3. The Junior Engineer (Horticulture),  
Northern Railway, S.P. Marg, New Delhi.
  3. The Sr. Divisional Finance Manager,  
Northern Railway,  
State Entry Road, New Delhi
- (By Advocate Shri R.L. Dhawan )

Respondents

### ORDER (ORAL)

( Hon'ble Mr. Justice M. Ramachandran, Vice Chairman (J) :

In view of the judgment of the Full Bench dated 22.4.2008 in OA 2476/2006 and connected cases, we do not think any more adjudication on the claims raised in the present applications might be justified. These applications are in respect of highly belated claims and deserve to be rejected.

2. Mr. Reen counsel for applicants submits that it may be possible for him to come up with fresh documents so as to justify the claims but, since opportunity had been offered to applicants, years back, and they were not availed of, the request <sup>only</sup> ~~any~~ is to be rejected. The legal position had been explained by the Full Bench viz. that Tribunal could have had jurisdiction to entertain applications, only subject to restrictions imposed by the statute under Section 21 (2) of the Act. The claims urged here, obviously relate back to much earlier periods.

3. Consequently, we dismiss the applications. There shall no order as to costs. A copy of the order should be placed in all the Original Applications.

*Veena Chhotray*  
(Veena Chhotray )  
Member (A)

*M. Ramachandran*  
( M. Ramachandran)  
Vice Chairman (J)