WRIT PETITION NO.74/2003

Mrs. Maria Rosa Filomena
Genovieve da Mae da Pobres
Costa e Barreto e Alvares,
major of age,
residing at Bombay, through
her Power of Attorney
Mr. Anthony Allen Furtado
major of age, son of late Blasco
Furtado, residing at Malawi House,
Second Floor, Fontainhas,
Panaji, Goa.

... Petitioner.

V/s.

- 1. Mrs. Maria Edvina Quintina
 Visitacao da Costa e Baretto
 alias Edna Baretto, widow of
 Antonio Marcal Baretto,
 major of age, residing at
 Malawi House, 2nd Floor,
 Fontainhas, Panaji, Goa.
 - i) Mr. Antonio Ivor Baretto, R/o. H.No.456, Malawi, House 2nd Floor, Fontainhas, Panaji, Goa.
 - ii) Mrs. Shirley Lourdes Caldeira, R/o. H.No.250, Masta Bhat, Merces, Tiswadi, Goa.
 - iii)Mr. Antonio Agnelo Manuel
 Caldeira, R/o. H.No.250,
 Masta Bhat, Merces,
 Tiswadi, Goa.
 - iv) Mrs. Fatima Juddy Baretto Pereira, PDA Plot No.207, H.No.406/95, Opp. Teachers' Training College, Alto Porvorim.
 - v) Mr. Cyril Joseph Pereira, PDA Plot No.207, H.No.406/95 Opp. Teachers' Training College, Alto-Porvorim.
 - vi) Mrs. Marlene D'Souza, R/o. Nirmala Bldg., Flat No.4, Mahim, Mumbai-16

- vii) Mr. Peter Sebastain D'Souza,
 R/o. Nirmala Bldg., Flat No.4,
 Mahim, Mumbai 16,
- 2. Shri Khusali Anant Satarkar,
- 3. Shri Babusso Anant Satarkar, (since deceased) represented by his legal heirs, his widow
 - a) Smt. Bhogwantem B. Satarkar and by his son,
 - b) Dayanand B. Sattorkar and daughter-in-law.
 - c) Smt. Dayanand Sattorkar, r/o. House No.151, Murdi, Cuelim, Cansaulim, Salcete, Goa.

.... Respondents

Mr. J. Godinho, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. M.B. D'Costa, Advocate for respondents No.2 and 3 (a,b) and c).

CORAM : P.V. HARDAS, J.

DATE: 28TH FEBRUARY, 2003.

ORAL JUDGMENT :

Rule. Rule made returnable forthwith. By consent of the parties, the petition is heard for final disposal at the stage of admission.

2. This petition has been filed by the petitioner/plaintiff against the order of the learned appellate Court dated 25.9.2002 by which the learned appellate Court modified its earlier order dated 16.9.2002. Various grounds of challenge have been raised in the present petition, one of which is that

the learned Counsel appearing for the petitioner/
plaintiff was not heard and the order was passed behind
his back by the learned appellate Court. Mr. M.B.
D'Costa, learned Counsel appearing for the respondents
accepts notice of this petition and has urged before me
that the interim order granted by this Court on 15th
February, 2003 be continued till the appeal is finally
heard and decided on merits. Learned Counsel state
that the appeal is fixed for hearing on 11th March,
2003.

3. In view of this, the learned IIIrd Addl. District Judge, South Goa, Margao is, therefore, directed to hear and decide the appeal as expeditiously as possible, when the appeal is fixed for hearing. Till the decision of the appeal, interim order passed by this Court on 15.2.2003 will continue. With the above directions Rule is made absolute in the above terms, with no order as to costs.

P.V. HARDAS, J.

ssm.