

**IN THE SUPREME COURT OF INDIA**

**CRIMINAL APPELLATE JURISDICTION**

**CRIMINAL APPEAL NO(S). 203 OF 2019  
[ARISING OUT OF SPECIAL LEAVE PETITION  
(CRIMINAL) NO.3788/2016]**

**M/S GODREJ AND BOYCE  
MANUFACTURING CO. LTD.                      ...APPELLANT(S)**

**VERSUS**

**THE STATE OF RAJASTHAN  
& ORS.    ...RESPONDENT(S)**

**ORDER**

1.            We have heard the learned counsel for the parties.
2.            Leave granted.
3.            Having regard to the long efflux of time and the nature of the allegations made, we are of the considered view that the order that would be appropriate to be passed would be to keep the question of law open to be decided in an appropriate case and to quash the proceedings against the appellant. We order accordingly.

4. The appeal is disposed of in the above terms.

....., CJI.  
(RANJAN GOGOI)

....., J.  
(SANJIV KHANNA)

NEW DELHI  
FEBRUARY 01, 2019

ITEM NO.34

COURT NO.1

SECTION II

S U P R E M E C O U R T O F I N D I A  
R E C O R D O F P R O C E E D I N G S

PETITION(S) FOR SPECIAL LEAVE TO APPEAL (CRL.) NO(S). 3788/2016  
(ARISING OUT OF IMPUGNED FINAL JUDGMENT AND ORDER DATED 05-04-2016  
IN CRLMP NO. 59/2016 IN CRLMP NO. 2325/2014 PASSED BY THE HIGH  
COURT OF JUDICATURE FOR RAJASTHAN AT JODHPUR)

M/S GODREJ AND BOYCE MANUFACTURING CO. LTD

PETITIONER(S)

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THE STATE OF RAJASTHAN &amp; ORS.

RESPONDENT(S)

Date : 01-02-2019 This case was called on for hearing today.

CORAM :

HON'BLE THE CHIEF JUSTICE  
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SANJIV KHANNA

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UPON hearing the counsel the Court made the following  
O R D E R

Leave granted.

The appeal is disposed of in terms of the signed  
order.

[VINOD LAKHINA]

AR-cum-PS

[ANAND PRAKASH]

BRANCH OFFICER

[SIGNED ORDER IS PLACED ON THE FILE]