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IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

Date of decision : 17.03.2016

1. FAO-3328-2014 (O&M)

Manjit Singh Bedi

...Appellant

Versus

M/s L & T Finance Ltd. & others

...Respondents

2. FAO-4635-2014 (O&M)

Jaswant Singh and another

...Appellants

Versus

M/s Larsen & Toubro Finance Ltd. and other

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE AMIT RAWAL

Present: Mr. Sandeep Arora, Advocate
for the appellant(s) in FAO-3328-2014.

Mr. Naveen Sharma, Advocate
for the appellants in FAO-4635-2014).

Mr. Nitin Thatai, Advocate
for respondent Nos.1 and 2
(in both the appeals)

1. Whether reporters of local papers may be allowed to see the judgment?
2. To be referred to the reporters or not?
3. Whether the judgment should be reported in the digest?

AMIT RAWAL, J. (ORAL)

This order of mine shall dispose of two appeals bearing **FAO**

No.3328 of 2014 titled as **“Manjit Singh Bedi V/s M/s L & T Finance Ltd.**

**and others” and *FAO No.4635 of 2014* titled as “*Jaswant Singh and another*
*V/s M/s Larsen & Toubro Finance Ltd. and other”.***

The Objecting Court had no jurisdiction as the Award was passed by the Arbitrator situated in Maharashtra, whereas the objections have been filed at Jalandhar. The objections could not have been filed at Jalandhar but before the Principal Court at Maharashtra, having the territorial jurisdiction.

Keeping in view the aforementioned facts and circumstances, objections were not maintainable before the Objecting Court and therefore, there is no substance in both the appeals.

However, the liberty is granted to the appellant(s) to file objections seeking condonation of delay as per the provisions of Section 14 of the Limitation Act in a competent Court provided they file the same within a period of one month from the date of receipt of the certified copy of this order.

Interim order granted by this Court shall be remain in force and thereafter, they shall be at liberty to seek the interim injunction in a competent Court having the territorial jurisdiction.

With the aforesaid observations, the appeals stand disposed of.

17.03.2016
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(AMIT RAWAL)
JUDGE