



ITEM NO.801

COURT NO.7

SECTION II-C

S U P R E M E C O U R T O F I N D I A
RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS

Petition for Special Leave to Appeal (CrI.)
No.2400/2026

[Arising out of impugned final judgment and order dated 19-01-2024 in MCRC No. 191/2024 passed by the High Court of Chhatisgarh at Bilaspur]

RAHUL RAJBHAR

Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

THE STATE OF CHHATTISGARH

Respondent(s)

Date : 11-03-2026 This petition was mentioned today.

CORAM :

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE J.B. PARDIWALA
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE K.V. VISWANATHAN

For Petitioner(s) : Mr. Shrey Ravi Dambhare, AOR
Ms. Priya Sharma, Adv.

For Respondent(s) : Mr. Ravinder Kumar Yadav, AOR
Mr. Vinayak Sharma, Adv.

**UPON being mentioned the Court made the following
O R D E R**

1. The learned counsel appearing for the petitioner pointed out to us that the matter otherwise was to come up for hearing on 20.3.2026 being the notice returnable date.

2. It was pointed out that the petitioner has lost his father on 06.03.2026. In this regard, the wife of the petitioner has filed an affidavit stating as under:-

"AFFIDAVIT OF PAIROKAR ON BEHALF OF PETITIONER

I Muskan Rajbhar W/o Sh. Rahul Rajbhar, aged about 31 years R/o ward No.14, Kher Dafai, Birsinghpur, Goraiya, Umariya, Madhya Pradesh-484551 do hereby solemnly affirm and state on oath as under:-

1. That I am the wife of petitioner and pairokar in this case, in my personal capacity as mentioned above, I am well conversant with the facts and circumstances of the case in

my said capacity and am competent to swear this affidavit on behalf of petitioner.

2. That the petitioner filed Special Leave Petition against the impugned judgment and Order dated 19.01.2024 passed by the Hon'ble High Court of Chhattisgarh at Bilaspur in MCRC No.191 of 2024. Wherein Hon'ble High Court dismissed regular bail application of the petitioner.

3. That the father of the petitioner was expired on 06.03.2026 therefore petitioner is praying for bail from this Hon'ble Court to perform last rites of his father.

DEPONENT"

3. We take notice of the fact that the petitioner is in custody in connection with an offence under the NDPS Act and is confined in the State of Chhattisgarh.

4. The father of the petitioner was residing at Ghazipur, State of Uttar Pradesh.

5. The petitioner wants to travel to Ghazipur. The learned counsel appearing for the petitioner prays that the petitioner may be released on temporary bail for a period of 15 days so that he can visit his family members.

6. We also heard Mr.Vinayak Sharma, the learned counsel appearing for the State.

7. In the facts and circumstances of this case, having regard to the fact that the petitioner has lost his father, we order that the petitioner be released on interim bail up to 04.04.2026 subject to the following conditions:-

(I) The petitioner shall execute a personal bond of Rs.25,000/- (Rs.Twenty five thousand only) to the satisfaction of the Jail Authority.

(II) The petitioner shall mark his presence everyday at the Ghazipur Police Station, Uttar Pradesh, i.e., till the period of temporary bail.

(III) He shall surrender before the Jail Authority on 05.04.2026.

8. Registry to inform the Jail Superintendent of Central Jail, Bilaspur, Chhattisgarh as well as the Ghazipur Police Station, U.P. of this order at the earliest.

9. Dasti permitted.

10. List on 06.04.2026.

(CHANDRESH)
ASTT. REGISTRAR-cum-PS

(POOJA SHARMA)
COURT MASTER (NSH)