

ITEM NO.9

COURT NO.2

SECTION II-D

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

Miscellaneous Application No. 315/2026 in SLP(Crl) No. 14425/2024

HOTILAL PANDEY

Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

NCB OF DELHI

Respondent(s)

FOR ADMISSION

Date : 20-02-2026 This matter was called on for hearing today.

By Courts Motion

CORAM :

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE VIKRAM NATH
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SANDEEP MEHTA

For Petitioner(s) :Mr. Rakesh Kumar Singh, AOR

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

We have perused the office report and the communication dated 26.12.2025 received from the learned ASJ/Special Judge, NDPS, New Delhi seeking extension of time for conclusion of trial in Sessions Case No.314 of 2022 titled NCB vs. Hoti Lal Pandey & Anr.'

The request of the Trial Court for extension of time to conclude the trial is accepted.

Let the trial be concluded within the next six months from the next date fixed before the Trial Court, which is stated to be 25.02.2026.

It goes without saying that the petitioner and defence shall extend all cooperation in the conclusion of the trial.

In the event the trial is not concluded within the aforesaid period, it would be open for the petitioner (Hotilal Pandey) to revive his prayer for bail.

Registry is directed to send a copy of this order to the concerned Court.

Miscellaneous Application stand disposed of.

(NEETU KHAJURIA)
ASST.REGISTRAR-CUM-PS

(RANJANA SHAILEY)
ASSISTANT REGISTRAR