



ITEM NO.2

COURT NO.16

SECTION II-C

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

Criminal Appeal No(s). 1022/2026

GOVINDA DAS

Appellant(s)

VERSUS

STATE OF CHHATTISGARH

Respondent(s)

[FOR CONSIDERING THE BAIL APPLICATION]
IA No. 41918/2026 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING O.T.

Date : 20-04-2026 This matter was called on for hearing
today.

CORAM :

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE K.V. VISWANATHAN
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE MANMOHAN

For Appellant(s) Ms. Manika Tripathy, AOR
Mr. Ashutosh Kaushik, Adv.
Mr. Saksham Singh, Adv.
Ms. Yimcha Longchar, Adv.

For Respondent(s) Mr. Avdhesh Kumar Singh, A.A.G.
Ms. Sugandha Jain, Adv.
Mr. Prabodh Kumar, AOR
Mr. Karn Singh Parmar, Adv.
Mr. Pratyush, Adv.

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

1. Having heard Ms. Manika Tripathy, learned counsel for the appellant and Mr. Avdhesh Kumar Singh, learned Additional Advocate General for the State of Chhattigarh, we are inclined to enlarge the appellant on bail.

2. Accordingly, pending hearing of the Criminal Appeal,

the sentence of the appellant shall stand suspended in Sessions Case No.49/2021 and the appellant shall be enlarged on bail subject to the satisfaction of the Trial Court concerned.

3. Ms. Manika Tripathy, learned counsel for the appellant and Mr. Avdhesh Kumar Singh, learned Additional Advocate General for the State, jointly submit that certain exhibits duly marked in the concerned Trial Court during the trial do not form part of the Trial Court records.

4. Learned counsel for the appellant may indicate as to the missing exhibits to the Registry.

5. Registry to take appropriate steps to write to the High Court and obtain a complete set of the Trial Court records.

(NIRMALA NEGI)
ASTT. REGISTRAR-cum-PS

(MANOJ KUMAR)
COURT MASTER (NSH)