



ITEM NO.70

COURT NO.3

SECTION II

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

**Petition(s) for Special Leave to Appeal (Crl.)
No. 1973/2026**

[Arising out of impugned final judgment and order
dated 13-01-2026 in CRMBA No. 20143/2025 passed
by the High Court of Judicature at Allahabad]

ABDUL RAHIM

Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

STATE OF UTTAR PRADESH

Respondent(s)

Date : 10-03-2026

This petition was called on for hearing today.

CORAM :

**HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE J.K. MAHESHWARI
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ATUL S. CHANDURKAR**

For Petitioner(s) :

**Mr. Raja Choudhary, Adv.
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For Respondent(s) :

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UPON hearing the counsel

**the Court made the following
O R D E R**

1) Against the order of rejection of regular bail by the High Court and to seek bail, the present special leave petition has been filed. The petitioner is in custody w.e.f. 28.02.2024 in connection with FIR No.02 of 2024 dated 28.02.2024 for the offences punishable under Sections 7, 13(1)(b) read with Section 13(2) of the Prevention of Corruption Act, 1988, and Section 120B of the Indian Penal Code, 1860, registered with Police Station Anti Corruption Basti, District Basti.

2) After hearing learned counsel for the parties and considering the fact that the investigation has already been completed and the period of custody undergone by the

petitioner is more than two years by now; however, the trial may take time to conclude, without expressing any opinion on the merits of the case, we deem it appropriate to release the petitioner on bail.

3) Accordingly, we direct to release the petitioner on bail on furnishing the suitable bail bonds and sureties and on such other terms and conditions as may be deemed fit by the trial Court.

4) Petitioner to abide all the conditions as imposed and shall regularly attend the trial until exempted by the Court. Violation, if any, may give a cause to take recourse as permissible and the trial Court is at liberty to do the needful.

5) Accordingly, and in view of the

foregoing, the special leave petition stands allowed. Pending application(s), if any, shall stand disposed of.

(NIDHI AHUJA)
DEPUTY REGISTRAR

(NAND KISHOR)
ASSISTANT REGISTRAR