

ITEM NO.44

COURT NO.8

SECTION II-E

**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.3371/2026

[Arising out of impugned final judgment and order dated 26-11-2025 in CRA No. 845/2023 passed by the High Court of Madhya Pradesh Principal Seat at Jabalpur]

NANDKISHORE MISHRA

Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

THE STATE OF MADHYA PRADESH

Respondent(s)

FOR ADMISSION and I.R.

IA No. 59591/2026 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING C/C OF THE IMPUGNED JUDGMENT

IA No. 59593/2026 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING O.T.

IA No. 59597/2026 - PERMISSION TO FILE ADDITIONAL DOCUMENTS/FACTS/ANNEXURES

Date : 10-04-2026 This matter was called on for hearing today.

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE DIPANKAR DATTA  
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SATISH CHANDRA SHARMA

For Petitioner(s) : Mr. Nandkishore Mishra,  
Petitioner in-person

Mr. Prathvi Raj Chauhan, AOR  
Mr. Venkatesh Rajput, Adv.  
Mr. Sachin Singh, Adv.  
Mr. Neetesh, Adv.  
Mr. Diwas Kumar, Adv.

For Respondent(s) : Mr. Rajan Kumar Chourasia, Adv.  
Mr. Mrinal Gopal Elkar, AOR

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

1. Pursuant to our earlier order dated 11<sup>th</sup> March, 2026, the petitioner has participated in the proceedings from the Central Jail, Rewa, Madhya Pradesh through the virtual mode. We have interacted with him.
2. It is the petitioner's claim that he is completely innocent and has become

the victim of circumstances.

3. The Superintendent, Central Jail jailor was questioned as to whether the petitioner has pock marks to which the answer is that there are some old marks on his face.

4. Be that as it may, learned counsel appearing for the petitioner has invited our attention to the contention in page 'J' of the synopsis and ground (o) at page no. 23 of the special leave petition. He submits that the petitioner was denied justice in the sense that he was not notified by the High Court of absence of the advocate engaged by him and that an Amicus Curiae had been appointed.

5. We request the learned counsel appearing for the State of Madhya Pradesh to take appropriate instructions on this aspect of the submission made on behalf of the petitioner.

6. Re-list the special leave petition after two weeks.

**(JATINDER KAUR)**  
**P.S. to REGISTRAR**

**(SUDHIR KUMAR SHARMA)**  
**COURT MASTER (NSH)**