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Petition(s) for Special Leave to Appeal (Crl.) No(s).2948/2026

[Arising out of impugned final judgment and order dated 21-01-2026 in MCRC No.59905/2025 passed by the High Court of Madhya Pradesh Principal Seat at Jabalpur]

JITENDRA DHAKAD/YADAV

Petitioner

VERSUS

THE STATE OF MADHYA PRADESH

Respondent

FOR ADMISSION

I.A. No.53018/2026-EXEMPTION FROM FILING O.T.

Date : 23-02-2026 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. Vikas Upadhyay, AOR
Mr. Ritik Gupta, Adv.
Ms. Sheetal Gupta, Adv.
Ms. Ankita Kashyap, Adv.
Mr. Ranveer Singh, Adv.
Mr. Shiva Narang, 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. Issue notice, returnable on 04th May, 2026.
2. Mr. Rajan Kumar Chourasia, learned counsel accepts notice on behalf of the State of Madhya Pradesh. Service of formal notice, thus, stands dispensed with.
3. Till the next date of hearing, the petitioner shall not be arrested in

connection with FIR No.74/2025 dated 16th October, 2025 registered at Police Station Raigaon, District Satna under Sections 318(4), 319(2), 336(3), 338 & 340(2) of the Bharatiya Nyay Sanhita (BNS), 2023, subject to the petitioner joining investigation as and when called upon to do so by the investigating officer.

4. Counter affidavit be filed by the respondent-State of Madhya Pradesh a week prior to the returnable date, with indication of whether the petitioner was called upon by the investigating officer to join investigation and the outcome thereof.

(RASHMI DHYANI PANT)
ASST. REGISTRAR-CUM-PS

(SUDHIR KUMAR SHARMA)
COURT MASTER (NSH)