

ITEM NO.46

COURT NO.13

SECTION XII

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

SPECIAL LEAVE PETITION (CIVIL) DIARY NO. 9897/2026

[Arising out of impugned final judgment and order dated 12-11-2025 in WAMD No. 1181/2020 and WAMD No. 384/2024 passed by the High Court of Judicature at Madras at Madurai]

THE STATE OF TAMIL NADU & ORS.

PETITIONER(S)

VERSUS

G. MOORTHY ETC.

RESPONDENT(S)

IA No. 61424/2026 - CONDONATION OF DELAY IN FILING, IA No. 61422/2026 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING C/C OF THE IMPUGNED JUDGMENT

Date : 26-02-2026 These matters were called for hearing today.

CORAM :

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE AHSANUDDIN AMANULLAH  
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE R. MAHADEVAN

For Petitioner(s): Mr. Balaji Subramanian, A.A.G.  
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For Respondent(s) :

O R D E R

Delay condoned.

2. At the outset, learned counsel for the State of Tamil Nadu very fairly submits that he has sought instructions from the authorities concerned and only in

view of the fact that the respondents have superannuated many years ago, the authorities propose not to press the present litigation. It is prayed that in such circumstances when the authorities are giving indulgence to the respondents basically on humanitarian ground, the Court may protect its larger interest by keeping the issue of law open.

3. We find that both the stand and prayer made are reasonable.

4. The Special Leave Petitions are, accordingly, dismissed as not pressed along with pending application(s), if any.

5. However, the present order shall not be treated as a precedent and also the question of law, at the request of learned counsel for the petitioners, is left open.

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COURT MASTER (NSH)