

ITEM NO.17

COURT NO.11

SECTION IV-A

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

SPECIAL LEAVE PETITION (CIVIL) DIARY NO. 10181/2026

[Arising out of impugned final judgment and order dated 15-09-2025 in WP No. 52205/2019 passed by the High Court of Karnataka at Bengaluru]

HIRIYANNA GOWDA

PETITIONER(S)

VERSUS

KARNATAKA POWER TRANSFORMER CORPORATION LTD. & ORS. RESPONDENT(S)

IA No. 144576/2026 - CONDONATION OF DELAY IN FILING

IA No. 144577/2026 - CONDONATION OF DELAY IN REFILING / CURING THE DEFECTS

IA No. 144575/2026 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING O.T.

Date : 18-05-2026 This matter was called for hearing today.

CORAM :

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE AHSANUDDIN AMANULLAH

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE R. MAHADEVAN

For Petitioner(s) : Mr. V.C. Shukla, Adv. (Through VC)
Mr. Anantha Narayana M.G., AoR

For Respondent(s) :

O R D E R

Heard learned counsel for the petitioner.

2. Delay condoned.

3. Having considered the matter, this Court is of the firm and clear opinion that no interference is required with regard to the punishment of stoppage of 50% of the

petitioner's pension on a permanent basis, pursuant to a departmental proceeding. However, with regard to the other part of the order relating to the suspension period, to adjust the same available in his account and the remaining to be treated as leave without pay, learned counsel for the petitioner submits that, at least, subsistence allowance which was paid to him, should not be recovered/adjusted.

4. Limited to the above, issue notice.

5. List on 27.08.2026.

(POOJA SHARMA)
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(ANJALI PANWAR)
ASSISTANT REGISTRAR