

ITEM NO.33

COURT NO.16

SECTION II-C

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 (CRIMINAL) Diary No(s). 10642/2024

(Arising out of impugned final judgment and order dated 01-12-2023 in CRA No. 507/2023 passed by the High Court Of Chhatisgarh At Bilaspur)

SANDEEP JAIN

Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

THE STATE OF CHHATTISGARH

Respondent(s)

(FOR ADMISSION and I.R. and IA No.66881/2024-CONDONATION OF DELAY IN FILING and IA No.66878/2024-EXEMPTION FROM FILING O.T.)

Date : 22-03-2024 This petition was called on for hearing today.

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ARAVIND KUMAR
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE PRASANNA BHALACHANDRA VARALE

For Petitioner(s) Mr. Gopal Jha, AOR
Mr. Sumeet Singh, Adv.
Ms. Abeda Sheikh, Adv.

For Respondent(s)

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

Delay condoned.

Having heard the learned counsel appearing for the petitioner, we are of the considered view that the judgment and the conviction of petitioner requires to be sustained. Accordingly it is sustained. However, the sentence imposed by the High Court namely "imprisonment for life to the extent for remainder of his natural life" requires to be examined by this Court. Hence, for the said limited purpose let notice be issued to the State returnable in the third week of August, 2024.

(KAPIL TANDON)
COURT MASTER (SH)

(POOJA SHARMA)
COURT MASTER (NSH)