

ITEM NO.7

COURT NO.15

SECTION II-C

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

Petition(s) for Special Leave to Appeal (CrI.) No(s). 5004/2026

[Arising out of impugned final judgment and order dated 15-01-2026 in MCRC No. 504/2026 passed by the High Court of Chhatisgarh at Bilaspur]

KHEMCHAND SAHU @ISHU SAHU

Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

THE STATE OF CHHATTISGARH

Respondent(s)

IA No. 85950/2026 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING C/C OF THE IMPUGNED JUDGMENT

IA No. 85952/2026 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING O.T.

Date : 25-03-2026 This matter was called on for hearing today.

CORAM :

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE PRASHANT KUMAR MISHRA
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE N.V. ANJARIA

For Petitioner(s) :

Mr. S.K.Gangele, Sr. Adv.
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Mr. Mohd Fahad, Adv.

For Respondent(s) :Mr. Prashant Singh, AOR

UPON hearing the counsel the Court made the following

O R D E R

1. Learned senior counsel for the petitioner submits that there is no recovery from the petitioner and he has been made an accused only on the ground that he was a prospective purchaser of 05 kgs of *ganja* from the main accused from whom, 39.718 kgs of *ganja* has been recovered.

2. Issue notice, returnable on 27th April, 2026.

3. Mr. Prashant Singh, learned Advocate on Record has entered appearance (on advance notice) for respondent-State. He accepts and waives service of notice to the respondent-State and undertakes to file counter affidavit on its behalf.

(NISHA KHULBEY)
COURT MASTER(SH)

(CHETNA BALOONI)
COURT MASTER(NSH)