

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(s).11596/2026

[Arising out of impugned final judgment and order dated 14-10-2025 in MCA No.247/2025 passed by the High Court of Judicature at Bombay]

AJITESH CHAUHAN

PETITIONER(S)

VERSUS

SUMIT KAUR MALHOTRA

RESPONDENT(S)

IA No. 85068/2026 - CONDONATION OF DELAY IN FILING

IA No. 85064/2026 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING C/C OF THE IMPUGNED JUDGMENT

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

CORAM :

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SANJAY KAROL

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE AUGUSTINE GEORGE MASIH

For Petitioner(s) :

Mr. Amol Jagtap, Adv.
Mr. Anmol Kheta, Adv.
Ms. Tanya Srivastava, AOR
Mr. Aayush Tamboli, Adv.

For Respondent(s) :

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

1. Petitioner challenges the judgment and order dated 14.10.2025 in Miscellaneous Civil Application No.247/2025 passed by the High Court of Judicature at Bombay, titled "*Ajitesh Chauhan vs. Sumit Kaur Malhotra*".
2. Delay condoned.
3. Issue notice only for the purpose of exploring the possibility of settlement, returnable on 27.04.2026.

4. Dasti service, in addition, is permitted. Let steps for service be taken within one week.

5. In the notice itself let it be mentioned that the respondent is required to file the counter affidavit and reply to the interlocutory application(s), if any, before the next date of listing.

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COURT MASTER (SH)

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