



ITEM NO.52

COURT NO.7

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

Petition for Special Leave to Appeal (Crl.)
No.5767/2026

[Arising out of impugned final judgment and order dated 26-06-2025 in CRLA No. 99/2023 passed by the High Court of Judicature at Madras]

SUNDHARRAJ

Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

THE STATE REP. BY THE INSPECTOR
OF POLICE

Respondent(s)

IA No. 86531/2026 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING C/C OF THE IMPUGNED JUDGMENT, IA No. 86534/2026 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING O.T., IA No. 86529/2026 - PERMISSION TO FILE ADDITIONAL DOCUMENTS/FACTS/ANNEXURES, IA No. 86530/2026 - PERMISSION TO FILE LENGTHY LIST OF DATES

Date : 04-05-2026 This matter was called on for hearing today.

CORAM :

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE J.B. PARDIWALA
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE VIJAY BISHNOI

For Petitioner(s) :Mr. B.Abhishek, Adv.
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UPON hearing the counsel the Court made the following
O R D E R

1. Leave granted.
2. We take notice of the fact that the appellant has been sentenced by the High Court to undergo 07 years of rigorous imprisonment for the alleged offence. The Trial Court had sentenced the convict to undergo 10 years of rigorous imprisonment, however the High Court reduced it to 07 years of rigorous imprisonment.
3. He is in jail past 03 years and 08 months.
4. In such circumstances, we suspend the substantive order of sentence passed by the High Court and order

that the convict be released on bail forthwith if not required in any other case subject to terms and conditions that the Trial Court may deem fit to impose.

(CHANDRESH)
ASTT. REGISTRAR-cum-PS

(POOJA SHARMA)
COURT MASTER (NSH)