



IN THE SUPREME COURT OF INDIA
CRIMINAL APPELLATE JURISDICTION

CRIMINAL APPEAL NO. _____/2026
[@ SLP [CRL.] NO. 5425/2026]

MOHAMMED SHAMEEM

Appellant(s)

VERSUS

STATE OF KERALA

Respondent(s)

O R D E R

Leave granted.

The appellant seeks to challenge the cancellation of bail, in connection with FIR No.405/2024, dated 24.05.2024, registered at Police Station Karipur, District - Malappuram, for the offence punishable under Section 22(b) of the Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances Act, 1985.

We have heard the learned counsel appearing for the parties.

The bail granted to the appellant has been cancelled on the premise that he was involved in a

second case.

The fact remains that in the second case, the appellant has been granted bail, with observations on infirmities in the case of the prosecution.

Considering the above, we are inclined to set aside the impugned order and direct for the release of the appellant.

Accordingly, the impugned order stands set aside and the appellant is directed to be released forthwith, unless required in any other case, on terms and conditions to the satisfaction of the concerned Trial Court.

The appeal stands allowed, accordingly.

Pending application(s), if any, shall stand disposed of.

.....J.
[M.M. SUNDRESH]

.....J.
[NONGMEIKAPAM KOTISWAR SINGH]

NEW DELHI;
MAY 22, 2026.

ITEM NO.4

COURT NO.5

SECTION II-D

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

Petition(s) for Special Leave to Appeal (Crl.)
No(s). 5425/2026

[Arising out of impugned final judgment and order
dated 16-10-2025 in CRLMC No. 7526/2025 passed by
the High Court of Kerala at Ernakulam]

MOHAMMED SHAMEEM,

Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

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Date : 22-05-2026 This matter was called on for
hearing today.

CORAM :

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE M.M. SUNDRESH

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE NONGMEIKAPAM KOTISWAR SINGH

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Adv.
Mr. Muhammed Siddick, Adv.
Ms. Rashi Agnihotry, Adv.
Mr. Mahabir Singh, Adv.

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

Leave granted.

The appellant is directed to be released forthwith, unless required in any other case, on terms and conditions to the satisfaction of the concerned Trial Court.

The appeal is allowed in terms of the signed order.

Pending application(s), if any, shall stand disposed of.

(ASHA SUNDRIYAL)
DEPUTY REGISTRAR

(POONAM VAID)
ASSISTANT REGISTRAR

[Signed order is placed on the file]