

ITEM NO.8

COURT NO.7

SECTION II

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 for Special Leave to Appeal (CrL.) No.4859/2026

[Arising out of impugned final judgment and order dated 16-01-2026 in CRMBA No. 31226/2024 passed by the High Court of Judicature at Allahabad]

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Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

STATE OF U.P

Respondent(s)

IA No. 83214/2026 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING C/C OF THE IMPUGNED JUDGMENT, IA No. 83218/2026 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING O.T.

Date : 23-03-2026 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. Rajul Bhargava, Sr. Adv.
Mr. Kartikeya Bhargava, AOR

For Respondent(s) :

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

1. The petitioner has been denied regular bail by the High Court in connection with Case Crime No. 367 of 2019 registered

with Achnera Police Station, District Agra, U.P. for the offence punishable under Section 364A, 302 and 201 of the Indian Penal Code, 1860 (for short, "the IPC"), respectively.

2. It appears that the trial is going on past six years.

This is something very unfortunate and also very disturbing.

3. We are informed that in last six years only four witnesses have been examined. The prosecution intends to examine in all thirteen witnesses.

4. Taking into consideration the fact that the petitioner is in jail since 14.11.2019 and the entire case hinges on circumstantial evidence, the Trial Court shall see to it that the trial is completed within next three months from today with judgment.

5. The Trial Court shall inform the disposal of the Sessions Case No.86 of 2020 to this Court.

6. List the matter after three months for compliance of this order.

7. Registry shall forward one copy of this order to the Registrar, High Court of Allahabad, who in turn shall place this order before Hon'ble the Chief Justice of the Allahabad High Court.

(CHANDRESH)
ASTT. REGISTRAR-cum-PS

(POOJA SHARMA)
COURT MASTER (NSH)