

ITEM NO.9

COURT NO.5

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 (Crl.) No(s). 5710/2026

[Arising out of impugned final judgment and order dated 04-02-2026 in MCRCA No. 160/2026 passed by the High Court of Chhatisgarh at Bilaspur]

NILESH MANIK

Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

STATE OF CHHATTISGARH STATION HOUSE OFFICER

Respondent(s)

FOR ADMISSION

IA No. 97745/2026 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING O.T.

Date : 06-04-2026 This matter was called on for hearing today.

CORAM :

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE M.M. SUNDRESH

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE NONGMEIKAPAM KOTISWAR SINGH

For Petitioner(s) :

Mr. Kaustubh Shukla, AOR
Ms. Pushpanjali Singh, Adv.
Mr. Vipul Kumar, Adv.
Ms. Gursimrat Kaur, Adv.
Mr. Manoj Kumar, Adv.

For Respondent(s) :Mr. Vinayak Sharma, Adv.

UPON hearing the counsel the Court made the following

O R D E R

1. Application seeking exemption from filing official translation is allowed.
2. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that charge-sheet has been filed.
3. Issue notice, returnable on 05.05.2026.
4. Mr. Vinayak Sharma, learned counsel has entered appearance on advance notice for the State.

He accepts and waives service of notice on the respondent-State.

5. Two weeks time is granted to file counter affidavit.

6. In the meanwhile, petitioner shall not be arrested subject to his cooperation with the trial.

(NISHA KHULBEY)
COURT MASTER (SH)

(POONAM VAID)
ASSISTANT REGISTRAR