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SPECIAL LEAVE PETITION (CRIMINAL) Diary No(s).15703/2026

[Arising out of impugned final judgment and order dated 03-11-2025 in MCRC No.45275/2025 passed by the High Court of Madhya Pradesh at Gwalior]

DESHRAJ KUSHWAH

Petitioner

VERSUS

THE STATE OF MADHYA PRADESH

Respondent

I.A. No.112173/2026-CONDONATION OF DELAY IN FILING

I.A. No.112170/2026-EXEMPTION FROM FILING C/C OF THE IMPUGNED JUDGMENT

I.A. No.112171/2026-EXEMPTION FROM FILING O.T.

I.A. No.112175/2026-PERMISSION TO FILE ADDITIONAL DOCUMENTS/FACTS/ ANNEXURES

Date : 17-04-2026 This matter was called on for hearing today.

CORAM :

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE DIPANKAR DATTA

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SATISH CHANDRA SHARMA

For Petitioner(s) :Mr. Alok Singh, Adv.

Mr. Ankit Borker, Adv.

Mr. Sandeep Kumar Singh, Adv.

Mr. Sameer Malik, Adv.

Mr. Vinay Namdeo Babirole, Adv.

Ms. Shivangi Singh, Adv.

Mr. Raj Shekhar Sharma, Adv.

Ms. Alpana Sharma, AOR

For Respondent(s) :Mr. Surjeet Singh, Adv.

Mr. Yashraj Singh Bundela, Adv.

UPON hearing the counsel the Court made the following

O R D E R

1. Delay condoned.
2. Issue notice, returnable on 18th May, 2026.
3. Mr. Surjeet Singh, learned counsel accepts notice on behalf of the State of

Madhya Pradesh. Service of formal notice on the State, thus, stands dispensed with.

4. Respondent-State of Madhya Pradesh may file its counter affidavit within two weeks. Such affidavit ought to include, *inter alia*, the following particulars:

(i) chargesheet, if filed;

(ii) number of witnesses proposed to be examined by the prosecution;

(iii) whether charge is framed or not;

(iv) if the charge has not been framed, the reason therefor;

(v) if the trial has commenced, the number of witnesses examined;

(vi) criminal antecedents of the petitioner;

(vii) whether any co-accused is enlarged on bail; and

(viii) any other information relevant for a decision on the special leave petition.

5. Rejoinder thereto, if any, be filed within a week thereafter.

(RASHMI DHYANI PANT)
ASST. REGISTRAR-CUM-PS

(SUDHIR KUMAR SHARMA)
COURT MASTER (NSH)