

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

SPECIAL LEAVE PETITION (CRIMINAL) Diary No(s). 17629/2026

[Arising out of impugned final judgment and order dated 19-12-2024 in CRWP No. 12342/2024 passed by the High Court of Punjab & Haryana at Chandigarh]

MAHARAJ SARAN

Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

STATE OF PUNJAB &amp; ORS.

Respondent(s)

IA No. 100648/2026 - CONDONATION OF DELAY IN FILING

IA No. 100643/2026 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING C/C OF THE IMPUGNED JUDGMENT IA No. 100646/2026 - 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 SINGHFor Petitioner(s) Mr. Abhinay, AOR  
Ms. Ritu Punj, Adv.  
Ms. Kirti Vyas, Adv.For Respondent(s) Mr. Karan Sharma, AOR  
Mr. Mohit Siwach, Adv.UPON hearing the counsel the Court made the following  
O R D E R

The applications for exemption from filing c/c of the impugned judgment and from filing the official translation are allowed.

Delay condoned.

Issue notice only on the legal issue raised, returnable on 19.05.2026, as insofar as the relief is concerned, nothing survives for consideration.

Learned counsel appearing for the respondent No.1 accepts notice.

*Dasti*, in addition, is also permitted.

(ASHA SUNDRIYAL)  
DEPUTY REGISTRAR(POONAM VAID)  
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