

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). 17635/2026

[Arising out of impugned final judgment and order dated 02-09-2025 in CRLA No. 1210/2008 passed by the High Court of Judicature at Allahabad]

DEVESH PAL @ SONU PAL

Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

THE STATE OF UTTAR PRADESH

Respondent(s)

(IA No. 158369/2026 - CONDONATION OF DELAY IN FILING, IA No. 158373/2026 - CONDONATION OF DELAY IN REFILEING / CURING THE DEFECTS, IA No. 158371/2026 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING O.T. and IA No. 158370/2026 - SUSPENSION OF SENTENCE)

Date : 26-05-2026 This matter was called on for hearing today.

CORAM :

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SANJAY KAROL  
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE AUGUSTINE GEORGE MASIH

For Petitioner(s) :Ms. Arundhati Katju, Sr. Adv.  
Ms. Rupali Sharma, AOR  
Ms. Shristi Borthakur, Adv.  
Mr. Shakti Singh, Adv.

For Respondent(s) :Ms. Ruchira Goel, AOR

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

1. The petitioner challenges the judgment and order dated 02.09.2025 in CRLA No.1210/2008 titled "*Devesh Pal @ Sonu Pal vs. State of Uttar Pradesh*" passed by the High Court of Judicature at Allahabad.
2. Delay condoned.
3. Leave granted.
4. Issue notice on IA No. 158370/2026, returnable on 29.05.2026.

5. Dasti, in addition, is permitted. Let steps for service be taken forthwith.

6. Ms. Ruchira Goel, learned Advocate-on-Record accepts notice on behalf of the State.

7. Learned counsel for the petitioner to serve a copy of the petition on the learned counsel for the State.

8. Let original records be called for. Soft copy thereof, shall be supplied to learned counsel for the parties.

9. Tag with Crl. Appeal No. 5662 of 2025.

(RAJNI MUKHI)  
ASTT. REGISTRAR-cum-PS

(ANU BHALLA)  
COURT MASTER (NSH)