

ITEM NO.32

COURT NO.16

SECTION II-E

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). 6235/2026

[Arising out of impugned final judgment and order dated 24-03-2026 in MCRC No. 13786/2026 passed by the High Court of Madhya Pradesh Principal Seat at Jabalpur]

DEVI SINGH RAJAK

Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

THE STATE OF MADHYA PRADESH

Respondent(s)

FOR ADMISSION

IA No. 106411/2026 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING O.T.

Date : 09-04-2026 This matter was called on for hearing today.

CORAM :

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE PRASHANT KUMAR MISHRA  
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE N.V. ANJARIA

For Petitioner(s) :

Mr. Keshav Baheti, Adv.  
Mrs. Aanchal Maheshwari, Adv.  
Mr. Kanishak Saini, Adv.  
Mr. Ashutosh Thakur, AOR

For Respondent(s) :Mr. Surjeet Singh, Adv.  
Mrinal Gopal Elker, AOR

UPON hearing the counsel the Court made the following

O R D E R

1. As per the subject FIR, the prosecutrix was working as a domestic help in the house of the petitioner for about 08 years prior to the date of lodging of the subject FIR and during this period, petitioner has allegedly developed physical intimacy with her on the promise of marriage.

2. The petitioner is a married man and, if the prosecutrix was working in his house, she was well aware that the petitioner being a married man, will not be in a position to marry the prosecutrix.

3. Issue notice, returnable on 14.05.2026.

4. Mr. Surjeet Singh, learned counsel appears for the State on advance notice. He accepts and waives service of notice on behalf of the respondent-State.

5. Let counter affidavit be filed within a period of three weeks.

6. In the meanwhile, petitioner shall not be arrested in connection with Crime No. 54/2026 registered with Police Station- Civil Lines, District-Sagar, Madhya Pradesh subject to his cooperating with the investigation/ trial.

(NISHA KHULBEY)  
COURT MASTER (SH)

(AKSHAY KUMAR BHORIA)  
COURT MASTER (NSH)