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Petition(s) for Special Leave to Appeal (Crl.) No(s). 6683/2026

[Arising out of impugned final judgment and order dated 20-02-2026 in CRLM No. 37573/2025 passed by the High Court of Judicature at Patna]

MANOJ KUMAR THAKUR

Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

THE STATE OF BIHAR & ANR.

Respondent(s)

FOR ADMISSION

IA No. 113841/2026 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING O.T.

Date : 20-04-2026 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. Akshat Agrawal, Adv.
Ms. Rita Jha, AOR

For Respondent(s) :Mr. Azmat Hayat Amanullah, AOR
Ms. Rebecca Mishra, Adv.

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

1. Learned counsel for the petitioner argues that the petitioner has explained the account position in reply to the Show Cause Notice issued to him and that the Investigating Officer has also acknowledged that bills and receipts are yet to be considered by the Management-Singheshwar Mandir Trust Committee, Singheshwar.
2. It is also submitted that petitioner has cooperated

with the investigation by appearing before the I.O.

3. Issue notice, returnable on 21.05.2026.

4. Mr. Azmat Hayat Amanullah, appears on behalf of the respondent-State of Bihar and accepts notice.

5. Let counter affidavit be filed before the next date of hearing.

6. In the meanwhile, petitioner shall not be arrested in FIR No. 358/2024, registered at Police Station Singheshwar, District Madhepura, subject to his cooperating with the investigation.

(RAHUL KUMAR)
COURT MASTER (SH)

(AKSHAY KUMAR BHORIA)
COURT MASTER (NSH)