

ITEM NO.17

COURT NO.14

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). 8817/2026

[Arising out of impugned final judgment and order dated 20-02-2026  
in WP No. 5169/2015 passed by the High Court of Madhya Pradesh at  
Gwalior]

DEVENDRA SINGH TOMAR & ANR.

Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

THE STATE OF MADHYA PRADESH & ORS.

Respondent(s)

FOR ADMISSION

IA No. 146245/2026 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING O.T.

Date : 20-05-2026 This matter was called on for hearing today.

CORAM :

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE MANOJ MISRA  
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE MANMOHAN

For Petitioner(s) :

Ms. Mamta Sharma, AOR  
Mr. R. Gopalakannan, Adv.  
Mr. Rahul Kumar Choudhary, Adv.

For Respondent(s) : Mr Yashraj Singh Bundela, AOR

Mr Surjeet Singh, G.A., Adv.

Mr Gaurav Yadav, Adv.

Devaki Dass, Adv.

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

1. The submission of the learned counsel for the petitioner, *inter alia* is that according to the

allegations, warehouse receipts were issued by the petitioner(s) in favour of seventh respondent who deposited those receipts with the complainant (predecessor in-interest of respondent Nos. 5A and 5B).

2. It is the case of the petitioner that the deposit and the issuance of receipts relates to the year 2007-2009 whereas the First Information Report was lodged in 2015. The limitation for an offence punishable under Section 406 of the Indian Penal Code, 1860 ("IPC") is three years by virtue of Section 468(2)(c) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973.

3. Issue notice, returnable in six weeks.

4. In the meantime, further proceedings against the petitioner(s) emanating from FIR No. 435/2015, registered at P.S. Ambah, District Morena shall remain stayed.

(CHETAN ARORA)  
ASTT. REGISTRAR-cum-PS

(SAPNA BANSAL)  
COURT MASTER (NSH)