

S U P R E M E C O U R T O F I N D I A
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Petition for Special Leave to Appeal (Crl.) No.8739/2026

[Arising out of impugned final judgment and order dated 22-04-2026 in WP No. 101113/2025 passed by the High Court of Karnataka Circuit Bench at Dharwad]

MUTHU SUMITH JAIPAL

Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

THE STATE OF KARNATAKA & ORS.

Respondent(s)

IA No. 144679/2026 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING C/C OF THE IMPUGNED JUDGMENT

IA No. 144680/2026 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING O.T.

WITH

SLP(Crl) No. 8760/2026 (II-E)

IA No. 145059/2026 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING C/C OF THE IMPUGNED JUDGMENT

IA No. 145063/2026 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING O.T.

Date : 15-05-2026 These matters were called on for hearing today.

CORAM :

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE J.B. PARDIWALA
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE VIJAY BISHNOI

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For Respondent(s) :

UPON hearing the counsel the Court made the following

O R D E R

1. Heard learned counsel for the parties.
2. Issue notice.
3. Dasti, in addition, is also permitted.

4. Further proceedings in FIR NO.07/2025 dated 11.01.2025 registered at Police Station Vidyagiri, District Hubballi, Dharwad, Karnataka shall remain stayed.

5. With a view to explore the possibility of an amicable settlement, the parties are directed to appear before the Supreme Court Mediation Centre on 29.05.2026 at 11.00 a.m.

6. The parties shall initially attend the mediation proceedings through virtual mode and thereafter if need be or as directed by the learned mediator, they will have to appear physically.

7. The Supreme Court Mediation Centre is requested to give a report to this Court as expeditiously as possible.

8. List the matters immediately after Mediation Report is received.

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