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R E C O R D O F P R O C E E D I N G SPETITION(S) FOR SPECIAL LEAVE TO APPEAL (CRL.) NO(S). 9633/2026[ARISING OUT OF IMPUGNED FINAL JUDGMENT AND ORDER DATED 08-05-2026
IN CRM-M NO. 23902/2026 PASSED BY THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB &
HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH]

RAKESH KUMAR

PETITIONER(S)

VERSUS

STATE OF PUNJAB

RESPONDENT(S)

(IA No. 158391/2026 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING C/C OF THE IMPUGNED
JUDGMENT, IA No. 158392/2026 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING O.T., IA No.
158387/2026- PERMISSION TO FILE ADDITIONAL
DOCUMENTS/FACTS/ANNEXURES)

Date : 21-05-2026 This matter was called on for hearing today.

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ARAVIND KUMAR
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE PRASANNA B. VARALEFor Petitioner(s): Mr. Rohit Sharma, Adv.
Mr. Jatin Lalwani, Adv.
Mr. Nikhil Purohit, Adv.
Mr. Jay Rawat, Adv.
Mr. Kumar Dushyant Singh, AORFor Respondent(s): Mr. Karan Sharma, AOR
Mr. Rajat Jain, Adv.UPON hearing the counsel the Court made the following
O R D E R

1. Issue notice, returnable in eight weeks.
2. Mr. Karan Sharma, learned AOR accepts and waives notice on behalf of State of Punjab.
3. There shall be interim protection from any coercive steps being taken against the petitioner, until further orders, subject to the petitioner co-operating with the investigation.

(ABHINAV KUMAR)
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