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Petition for Special Leave to Appeal (C) No(s).34645/2025
[Arising out of impugned final judgment and order dated 22-08-2025
in WPPIL No.73/2025 passed by the High Court of Chhattisgarh at
Bilaspur]

MADAN SINGH RATHIYA

PETITIONER(S)

VERSUS

STATE OF CHHATTISGARH & ORS.

RESPONDENT(S)

(FOR ADMISSION

IA No. 307904/2025 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING O.T.)

Date : 13-03-2026 This matter was called on for hearing today.

CORAM :

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SANJAY KAROL

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE AUGUSTINE GEORGE MASIH

For Petitioner(s) : Mr. Manish Kumar Gupta, AOR
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Ms. Ishika Neogi, Adv.
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UPON hearing the counsel the Court made the following
O R D E R

1. As per the office report dated 12.03.2026, service is complete upon respondent Nos.3 to 5. None has entered appearance on their behalf.

2. We are happy to record with satisfaction the efforts put in by Ms. Jyoti Sharma, learned *amicus curiae* in complying with our order dated 02.02.2026. The respondents have been apprised of their legal right of representation even through the Legal Aid Committee.

3. We request the learned *amicus curiae* to continue to assist the Court.

4. Let counter affidavit be filed within two weeks. Rejoinder affidavit thereto, if any, be filed before the next date of listing.

5. List on 20.04.2026 (high on the Board).

(SOURAV PAL)
SENIOR PERSONAL ASSISTANT

(AVGV RAMU)
COURT MASTER (NSH)