ITEM NO.6 COURT NO.9 SECTION II-C

S U P R E M E C O U R T O F I N D I A
RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS

Petition for Special Leave to Appeal (Crl.) No. 166/2026

[Arising out of impugned final judgment and order dated 26-06-2025 in MCRC No. 4906/2025 passed by the High Court of Chhatisgarh at Bilaspur]

SAHIL JETHWANI Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

THE STATE OF CHHATTISGARH Respondent(s)

WITH
SLP(Crl) No. 20175/2025 (II-C)
(IA No. 322583/2025 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING C/C OF THE IMPUGNED JUDGMENT
IA No. 322584/2025 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING O.T.
IA No. 322581/2025 - PERMISSION TO FILE ADDITIONAL DOCUMENTS/FACTS/ANNEXURES)

SLP(Crl) No. 20234/2025 (II-C)
(FOR ADMISSION
IA No. 323606/2025 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING O.T.
IA No. 323605/2025 - PERMISSION TO FILE ADDITIONAL DOCUMENTS/FACTS/ANNEXURES)

SLP(Crl) No. 20229/2025 (II-C)
(IA No. 323504/2025 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING C/C OF THE IMPUGNED JUDGMENT; IA No. 323505/2025 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING O.T.)

SLP(Crl) No. 21229/2025 (II-C)
(IA No. 320410/2025 - CONDONATION OF DELAY IN FILING
IA No. 320412/2025 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING C/C OF THE IMPUGNED JUDGMENT
IA No. 320411/2025 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING O.T.
IA No. 320409/2025 - PERMISSION TO FILE ADDITIONAL DOCUMENTS/FACTS/ANNEXURES)

SLP(Crl) No. 21181/2025 (II-C)
(IA No. 335760/2025 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING C/C OF THE IMPUGNED JUDGMENT
IA No. 335759/2025 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING O.T.
IA No. 335758/2025 - PERMISSION TO FILE ADDITIONAL DOCUMENTS/FACTS/ANNEXURES)

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SLP(Crl) No. 521/2026 (II-C)

**(IA No. 337365/2025 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING O.T.
IA No. 337364/2025 - PERMISSION TO FILE ADDITIONAL DOCUMENTS/FACTS/ANNEXURES)**

SLP(Crl) No. 21335/2025 (II-C)
**(FOR ADMISSION and I.R.
IA No. 337594/2025 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING C/C OF THE IMPUGNED JUDGMENT
IA No. 337596/2025 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING O.T.
IA No. 337597/2025 - PERMISSION TO FILE ADDITIONAL DOCUMENTS/FACTS/ANNEXURES)**

SLP(Crl) No. 21342/2025 (II-C)
**(IA No. 336529/2025 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING C/C OF THE IMPUGNED JUDGMENT
IA No. 336528/2025 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING O.T.
IA No. 336526/2025 - PERMISSION TO FILE ADDITIONAL DOCUMENTS/FACTS/ANNEXURES)**

SLP(Crl) No. 21198/2025 (II-C)
**(IA No. 336046/2025 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING C/C OF THE IMPUGNED JUDGMENT
IA No. 336047/2025 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING O.T.
IA No. 336048/2025 - PERMISSION TO FILE ADDITIONAL DOCUMENTS/FACTS/ANNEXURES)**

SLP(Crl) No. 21258/2025 (II-C)
**(IA No. 336904/2025 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING C/C OF THE IMPUGNED JUDGMENT
IA No. 336903/2025 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING O.T.
IA No. 336906/2025 - PERMISSION TO FILE ADDITIONAL DOCUMENTS/FACTS/ANNEXURES)**

SLP(Crl) No. 21316/2025 (II-C)
**(IA No. 337340/2025 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING C/C OF THE IMPUGNED JUDGMENT
IA No. 337339/2025 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING O.T.
IA No. 337338/2025 - PERMISSION TO FILE ADDITIONAL DOCUMENTS/FACTS/ANNEXURES)**

SLP(Crl) No. 21343/2025 (II-C)
**(IA No. 337716/2025 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING C/C OF THE IMPUGNED JUDGMENT
IA No. 337715/2025 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING O.T.
IA No. 337713/2025 - PERMISSION TO FILE ADDITIONAL DOCUMENTS/FACTS/ANNEXURES)**

SLP(Crl) No. 17/2026 (II-C)
**(IA No. 660/2026 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING C/C OF THE IMPUGNED JUDGMENT
IA No. 659/2026 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING O.T.**

IA No. 658/2026 - PERMISSION TO FILE ADDITIONAL DOCUMENTS/FACTS/ANNEXURES)

SLP(Crl) No. 56/2026 (II-C)
(IA No. 1639/2026 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING C/C OF THE IMPUGNED JUDGMENT
IA No. 1638/2026 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING O.T.
IA No. 1637/2026 - PERMISSION TO FILE ADDITIONAL DOCUMENTS/FACTS/ANNEXURES)

SLP(Crl) No. 223/2026 (II-C)
(FOR ADMISSION
IA No. 3815/2026 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING O.T.)

SLP(Crl) No. 219/2026 (II-C)
(FOR ADMISSION
IA No. 3768/2026 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING O.T.)

SLP(Crl) No. 298/2026 (II-C)
(FOR ADMISSION
IA No. 5131/2026 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING O.T.)

SLP(Crl) No. 1515/2026 (II-C)
(FOR ADMISSION
IA No. 26986/2026 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING O.T.)

SLP(Crl) No. 1630/2026 (II-C)
(IA No. 28711/2026 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING C/C OF THE IMPUGNED JUDGMENT
IA No. 28710/2026 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING O.T.)

SLP(Crl) No. 1920/2026 (II-C)
(FOR ADMISSION
IA No. 34748/2026 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING O.T.
IA No. 34750/2026 - PERMISSION TO FILE ADDITIONAL DOCUMENTS/FACTS/ANNEXURES)

SLP(Crl) No. 17880/2025 (II-C)
(IA No. 285185/2025 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING O.T.)

SLP(Crl) No. 18721/2025 (II-C)
(IA No. 299468/2025 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING C/C OF THE IMPUGNED JUDGMENT
IA No. 299466/2025 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING O.T.
IA No. 299463/2025 - PERMISSION TO FILE ADDITIONAL DOCUMENTS/FACTS/ANNEXURES)

SLP(Crl) No. 19699/2025 (II-C)
(IA No. 296515/2025 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING C/C OF THE IMPUGNED JUDGMENT
IA No. 296514/2025 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING O.T.

IA No. 296512/2025 - PERMISSION TO FILE ADDITIONAL DOCUMENTS/FACTS/ANNEXURES)

SLP(Crl) No. 19861/2025 (II-C)
**(IA No. 28810/2026 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING O.T.
IA No. 317608/2025 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING O.T.
IA No. 317606/2025 - PERMISSION TO FILE ADDITIONAL DOCUMENTS/FACTS/ANNEXURES
IA No. 28809/2026 - PERMISSION TO FILE ADDITIONAL DOCUMENTS/FACTS/ANNEXURES)**

SLP(Crl) No. 3206/2026 (II-C)
(IA No. 56741/2026 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING C/C OF THE IMPUGNED JUDGMENT)

Date : 02-04-2026 These matters were called on for hearing today.

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UPON hearing the counsel the Court made the following

O R D E R

1. Having heard learned counsel for the parties, we are not satisfied that these are fit cases to exercise our discretion under Article 136 of the Constitution of India.

2. The present petitions are, accordingly, dismissed.

3. We expect the Trial Court to expedite the trial and conclude the same preferably within a period of three months from today.

4. Pending application(s), if any, shall stand disposed of.

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