

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

SPECIAL LEAVE PETITION (CIVIL) Diary No(s). 26201/2026

[Arising out of impugned final judgment and order dated 12-02-2026 in WP Nos. 19856/2015 and 5555/2017 passed by the High Court of Madhya Pradesh Principal Seat at Jabalpur]

KAMLA DEVI

Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

BANK OF INDIA & ORS.

Respondent(s)

(IA No. 179652/2026 - CONDONATION OF DELAY IN REFILING / CURING THE DEFECTS

IA No. 179666/2026 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING C/C OF THE IMPUGNED JUDGMENT

IA No. 179667/2026 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING O.T.)

Date : 31-07-2026 This matter was called on for hearing today.

CORAM :

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE K.V. VISWANATHAN
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ARUN PALLI

For Petitioner(s) :

Mr. Ameet Kumar Deshpande, Sr. Adv.
Mr. Akshat Shrivastava, AOR
Mrs. Pooja Shrivastava, Adv.

For Respondent(s) :

Mr. Navin Pahwa, Sr. Adv.
Mr. Somesh Awasthy, Adv.
Mr. Soham K. Luthra, Adv.
Mr. Sirhaan Seth, Adv.
Mr. Amarjeet Singh, AOR

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

1. Applications for exemption from filing certified copy of the impugned judgment and exemption from filing official translation are allowed.
2. Delay condoned.

3. Heard Mr. Ameet Kumar Deshpande, learned senior counsel appearing for the petitioner and Mr. Navin Pahwa, learned senior counsel appearing on caveat for respondent Nos. 2 and 3.

4. Learned senior counsel appearing for the petitioner contends that auction was never held whereas Mr. Navin Pahwa, learned senior counsel for respondent Nos. 2 and 3 is emphatic that auction was, in fact, held by the Bank.

5. On this issue and other issues we want to be satisfied from the Bank. The Bank is directed, before the next date of hearing, to file an affidavit setting out cogently the events that transpired leading to the sale of the property.

6. Issue notice, returnable on 5th October, 2026.

7. In the meantime, *status quo*, with regard to the nature, title and possession of the suit property shall be maintained by the parties.

(ANITA MALHOTRA)
DEPUTY REGISTRAR

(MANOJ KUMAR)
COURT MASTER