ITEM NO.29 COURT NO.11 SECTION IX

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

Petition(s) for Special Leave to Appeal (C) No(s). 30671/2026

[Arising out of impugned final judgment and order dated 10-08-2026 in WP No. 6131/2026 passed by the High Court of Judicature at Bombay at Nagpur]

WESTERN COALFIELDS LTD & ANR. Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

NAYAK AJAY DILIP & ORS. Respondent(s)

IA No. 259197/2026 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING C/C OF THE IMPUGNED JUDGMENT

Date : 17-11-2026 This matter was called on for hearing today.

CORAM :
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE PRASHANT KUMAR MISHRA
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SHREE CHANDRASHEKHAR

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UPON hearing the counsel the Court made the following

O R D E R

1. This Special Leave Petition has called in question the interim order passed by the High Court allowing the respondent nos 4 and 11, who are petitioner nos. 4 and 11 before the High Court, to submit their offline application in the recruitment

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of "Mining Sirdar and Overman" by the Western Coalfields Limited.

2. By our order dated 07.09.2026, this Court had stayed the effect and operation of the impugned order passed by the High Court to the extent of respondent Nos.4 and 11, namely Kumar Kavish and Sarban Singh.

3. It is informed that the Writ Petition preferred by the respondent(s) before the High Court, is ripe for hearing and is likely to be taken up on 03.12.2026.

4. In view of the above, we dispose of this Special Leave Petition by making our interim order dated 07.09.2026 absolute, and at the same time requesting the High Court to decide the pending Writ Petition on its own merits, expeditiously.

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

(NISHA KHULBEY)
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