

ITEM NO.28

COURT NO.15

SECTION III-B

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

Petitions for Special Leave to Appeal (C) Nos. 34169-34176/2026

[Arising out of impugned final judgment and order dated 23-06-2026 in LPA No. 327/2025 23-06-2026 in LPA No. 328/2025 23-06-2026 in LPA No. 655/2025 23-06-2026 in LPA No. 657/2025 23-06-2026 in LPA No. 257/2026 08-09-2026 in CMP No. 19988/2026 08-09-2026 in CMP No. 19985/2026 08-09-2026 in CMP No. 19984/2026 passed by the High Court of Himachal Pradesh at Shimla]

M/S VARDHMAN ISPAT UDYOG ETC.

Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

HIMACHAL PRADESH STATE ELECTRICITY BOARD LIMITED Respondent(s)

(IA No. 296618/2026 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING C/C OF THE IMPUGNED JUDGMENT; IA No. 296617/2026 - PERMISSION TO FILE ADDITIONAL DOCUMENTS/FACTS/ANNEXURES)

Date : 05-10-2026 These matters were called on for hearing today.

CORAM :

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE S.V.N. BHATTI
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE N.V. ANJARIA

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

1. The special leave petitions are directed against the orders dated 08.09.2026 and 23.06.2026 passed by the Division Bench of the High Court. The Letters Patent Appeal ('LPA') is pending before the High Court. As per the order(s) impugned, the returnable date is also shown in the month of October, 2026.

2. Considering the nature of order(s) impugned and that the Division Bench has stated a returnable date, we are not entertaining these special leave petitions.

3. However, we request the Division Bench to dispose of the LPA No. 328 of 2025 along with LPA Nos.327, 591, 603, 652, 653, 654, 655, 656 and 657 of 2025, LPA Nos. 257 & 341 of 2026 with CWP No. 351 of 2022, latest by 07.11.2026.

4. The petitioners are granted two weeks' time from today to continue to maintain the deposit of the amounts mentioned below in the same manner, as the petitioners were maintaining prior to the disposal of the writ petition which are as follows:-

Name of the Petitioners	Party Name	Details of security amount demanded immediately
Petitioner Nos.1 & 4	M/s. Vardhman Ispat Udyog.	Rs.1,55,00,000/- (Rupees one crore fifty-five lakhs only)
Petitioner Nos.2 & 5	M/s. Prime Steel Industries Pvt. Ltd.	Rs. 5,91,00,000/- (Rupees five crore ninety-one lakhs only)
Petitioner Nos.3 & 6	M/s. Kundlas Loh Udyog.	Rs.3,16,80,000/- (Rupees three crore sixteen lakhs eighty thousand only)
Petitioner No.7	M/s. India Steel Continental Pvt. Ltd.	Rs. 1,88,05,500/- (Rupees one crore eighty-eight lakhs five thousand and five hundred only)
Petitioner No.8	M/s. J.B. Rolling Pvt. Ltd.	Rs. 10,86,27,750/- (Rupees ten crore eighty-six lakhs twenty-seven thousand seven hundred and fifty only)

5. The present special leave petitions are disposed of in the above terms.

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

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