

ITEM NO.236

COURT NO.14

SECTION XVI

BEFORE THE SUPREME COURT SPECIAL LOK ADALAT
(SAMADHAN SAMAROH)

PROCEEDINGS OF
Petition for Special Leave to Appeal (C) No. 26474/2025

THE UTTAR BIHAR GRAMIN BANK
(NOW BIHAR GRAMIN BANK) & ORS.

Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

MODANAND JHA

Respondent(s)

(FOR ADMISSION, IA No. 234180/2025 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING O.T., IA No. 232010/2025 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING O.T. and IA No. 234309/2025 - PERMISSION TO FILE ADDITIONAL DOCUMENTS/FACTS/ANNEXURES)

WITH

SLP(C) No. 27895/2025 (XVI)

(IA No. 247352/2025 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING O.T. and IA No. 247354/2025 - PERMISSION TO FILE ADDITIONAL DOCUMENTS/FACTS/ANNEXURES)

Date : 23-08-2026

PRESENT:

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE AUGUSTINE GEORGE MASIH
HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE V. MOHANA
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As of now, settlement has not been entered into between the parties.

However, the learned counsel for the parties jointly state that the parties wish to explore the possibility of settlement through mediation and request that they may be referred to the Mediation Centre attached to the High Court of Judicature at Patna.

In view of the statement made, the parties are requested to appear in person before the Mediator nominated by the Coordinator of the aforestated mediation centre on 07.09.2026 at 11.00 a.m.

The Mediator shall submit a report to the regular Court on conclusion of the proceedings.

List before the regular Court immediately upon receipt of a report from the learned Mediator.

**(DEEPAK GUGLANI)
DEPUTY REGISTRAR**

**(PREETI SAXENA)
COURT MASTER (NSH)**