

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF INDIA

CRIMINAL APPELLATE JURISDICTION

CRIMINAL APPEAL NO. \_\_\_\_\_ OF 2026  
(arising out of SLP(Crl.) NO. 18987 of 2025)

RAKESH JUNEJA & ANR. . . . . APPELLANT(S)

VERSUS

M/S. MARUTI SUZUKI INDIA LTD. & ANR. . . . . RESPONDENT(S)

with

CRIMINAL APPEAL NO. \_\_\_\_\_ OF 2026  
(arising out of SLP(Crl.) No. 19328/2025)

CRIMINAL APPEAL NO. \_\_\_\_\_ OF 2026  
(arising out of SLP(Crl.) No. 20892/2025)

CRIMINAL APPEAL NO. \_\_\_\_\_ OF 2026  
(arising out of SLP(Crl.) No. 20893/2025)

and

CRIMINAL APPEAL NO. \_\_\_\_\_ OF 2026  
(arising out of SLP(Crl.) No. 19193/2025)

**O R D E R**

1. Leave granted.
2. These appeals arise out of the common order dated 05.08.2025 passed by the High Court of Punjab and Haryana at Chandigarh in a batch of cases filed by the appellants, seeking quashing of the following complaint cases filed against them in relation to dishonour of cheques issued by Dee Ess Buhin Private Limited:- NACT Nos. 22566/2019, 18092/2019,

18090/2019, 18098/2019 and 22561/2019, pending before the learned Chief Judicial Magistrate, District Courts, Gurugram, Haryana.

3. Having heard the learned counsel for the parties, we find that the issue raised is squarely covered in favour of the appellants by the decision of this Court in *Vishnoo Mittal vs. Shakti Trading Company*<sup>1</sup>.
4. In the light of the law laid down by this Court in the aforesaid judgment, the High Court was not correct in rejecting the appellants' plea to quash the complaint cases against them.
5. The appeals are, accordingly, allowed, setting aside the impugned order dated 05.08.2025 passed by the High Court in CRMM No. 13335/2022 and batch. In consequence, NACT Nos. 22566/2019, 18092/2019, 18090/2019, 18098/2019 and 22561/2019, all pending before the learned Chief Judicial Magistrate, District Courts, Gurugram, Haryana, are quashed.
6. Pending application(s), if any, shall stand disposed of.

.....J.  
(SANJAY KUMAR)

.....J.  
(K. VINOD CHANDRAN)

NEW DELHI;  
MAY 07, 2026

1 (2025) 9 SCC 417

ITEM NO.17

COURT NO.12

SECTION II-B

S U P R E M E C O U R T O F I N D I A  
R E C O R D O F P R O C E E D I N G S

Petition for Special Leave to Appeal (Crl.) No. 18987/2025

[Arising out of impugned final judgment and order dated 05-08-2025 in CRMM No. 13335/2022 passed by the High Court of Punjab & Haryana at Chandigarh]

RAKESH JUNEJA & ANR.

Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

M/S. MARUTI SUZUKI INDIA LTD & ANR.

Respondent(s)

(IA No. 57543/2026 - APPROPRIATE ORDERS/DIRECTIONS)

WITH

SLP(Crl) No. 19328/2025 (II-B)

(IA No. 57639/2026 - APPROPRIATE ORDERS/DIRECTIONS)

SLP(Crl) No. 20892/2025 (II-B)

(IA No. 57627/2026 - APPROPRIATE ORDERS/DIRECTIONS)

SLP(Crl) No. 20893/2025 (II-B)

(IA No. 57544/2026 - APPROPRIATE ORDERS/DIRECTIONS)

SLP(Crl) No. 19193/2025 (II-B)

(IA No. 57624/2026 - APPROPRIATE ORDERS/DIRECTIONS and IA No. 107979/2026 - CONDONATION OF DELAY IN FILING COUNTER AFFIDAVIT)

Date : 07-05-2026 These matters were called on for hearing today.

CORAM :

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SANJAY KUMAR  
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE K. VINOD CHANDRAN

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**Mr. R.N. Keswani, AOR**

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

**Leave granted.**

**In terms of the signed order, the appeals are allowed, setting aside the impugned order dated 05.08.2025 passed by the High Court in CRMM No. 13335/2022 and batch. In consequence, NACT Nos. 22566/2019, 18092/2019, 18090/2019, 18098/2019 and 22561/2019, all pending before the learned Chief Judicial Magistrate, District Courts, Gurugram, Haryana, are quashed.**

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

**(DEEPAK GUGLANI)  
DEPUTY REGISTRAR**

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

**(signed order is placed on the file)**