

ITEM NO.31

COURT NO.10

SECTION XI-A

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).43018/2026

[Arising out of impugned final judgment and order dated 17-03-2026 in WP(C) No.1993/2026 passed by the High Court of Orissa at Cuttack]

STATE OF ODISHA & ORS.

Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

M/S. MISRILALL MINES PRIVATE LIMITED & ANR.

Respondent(s)

IA No. 237255/2026 - CONDONATION OF DELAY IN FILING

Date : 31-08-2026 This matter was called on for hearing today.

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ARAVIND KUMAR
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE VIPUL M. PANCHOLI

For Petitioner(s) : Mr. K M Nataraj, ASG
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UPON hearing the counsel the Court made the following
O R D E R

1. Delay condoned.
2. For the limited purpose of examining as to what would be the rate of interest that would become payable and from what date, we issue notice, returnable within six weeks.
3. The impugned judgment shall remain stayed subject to the petitioners depositing before the jurisdictional High Court the interest calculated at the rate of 6% per annum. However, we make it clear that the said amount shall be kept in a Fixed Deposit and it is needless to state that successful party would be entitled to receive the amount so deposited with accrued interest thereon if any.

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