ITEM NO.49 COURT NO.11 SECTION IV-A

## SUPREME COURT OF INDIA RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS

Petition for Special Leave to Appeal (C) No. 26397/2025

[Arising out of impugned interim/final judgment and order dated 08-09-2025 in WA No. 1462/2025 passed by the High Court of Karnataka at Bengaluru]

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Petitioner(s)

**VERSUS** 

THE STATE OF KARNATAKA & ANR.

Respondent(s)

(IA No. 230858/2025 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING C/C OF THE IMPUGNED JUDGMENT; IA No. 230859/2025 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING O.T.; IA No. 231259/2025 - PERMISSION TO FILE ADDITIONAL DOCUMENTS/FACTS/ANNEXURES)

Date: 15-09-2025 This matter was called on for hearing today.

CORAM:

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE PANKAJ MITHAL HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE PRASANNA B. VARALE

For Petitioner(s) Mr. C Aryama Sundaram, Sr. Adv.

Mr. Balaji Srinivasan, AOR

Mr. Nishanth A V, Adv.

Mr. Raghavacharyulu, Adv.

Ms. Harsha Tripathi, Adv.

## For Respondent(s)

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

- Heard Mr. C. A. Sundaram, learned senior counsel for the petitioner.
- 2. The challenge in this petition is to the interim order of the Division Bench dated 08.09.2025 passed in a Writ Appeal No. 1462 of 2025.
- 3. In the facts and circumstances of the case, as the writ appeal remains pending before the Division

Bench, we do not deem it necessary to exercise our discretionary power under Article 136 of the Constitution of India.

- 4. The present petition is, accordingly, dismissed with liberty to the petitioner to participate in the writ appeal and to get it decided on merits.
- 5. However, further proceedings pursuant to the summons dated 29.05.2025 shall remain in abeyance only for a period of two weeks to enable the petitioner to approach the High Court.
- 6. Pending application(s), if any, shall stand disposed of.

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COURT MASTER (NSH)