

ITEM NO.301

COURT NO.7

SECTION XII-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

Miscellaneous Application Nos.1889-1891/2025 in C.A. Nos.3640-3642/2025

[Arising out of impugned final judgment and order dated 06-03-2025 in C.A. No.3640/2025, C.A. No.3641/2025 & C.A. No.3642/2025 passed by the Supreme Court of India]

PERIYAMMAL (DEAD THR. LRS.) & ORS.

Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

V. RAJAMANI & ANR.

Respondent(s)

(FOR ADMISSION)

Date : 16-10-2025 These petitions were called on for hearing today.

CORAM :

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HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE PANKAJ MITHAL

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

1. By our Judgment and Order dated 6-3-2025 rendered in the case of "Periyammal (Dead) through LRs & Ors. vs. V. Rajamani & Anr. Etc." Reported in (2025) SCC Online SC 507, we had issued directions as contained in Para 75 as under:-

75. In view of the aforesaid, we direct all the High Courts across the country to call for the necessary information from their respective district judiciary as regards pendency of the execution petitions. Once the data is collected by each of the High Courts, the High Courts shall thereafter proceed to issue an administrative order or circular, directing their respective district judiciary to ensure that the execution petitions pending in various courts shall be decided and disposed of within a period of six months without fail otherwise the concerned presiding officer would be answerable to the High Court on its administrative side. Once the entire data along with the figures of pendency and disposal thereafter, is collected by all the High Courts, the same shall be forwarded to the Registry of this Court with individual reports."

2. In pursuance of our aforesaid directions, we have received a consolidated data of the District judiciary of different High Courts regarding the pendency and disposal of various execution petitions.

3. The consolidated data is as under:-

Sr. No.	Name of High Court	Pendency as on 06.03.2025		Disposal of execution petitions w.e.f. 6.3.2025		Pendency as per reports furnished District Judiciary of different High Courts	
		0-6 months old cases	More than 6 months old cases	Within 6 months from the date of institution	Beyond 6 months from the date of institution	0-6 months old cases	More than 6 months old cases
1	Allahabad	29,301		7,890		3,942	23,873

				(fresh filing 6,987)		Total : 27,815		
2.	Andhra Pradesh (As on 31.03.25)	15,226	57,990	2,713	2,366	12,513	55,624	
						Total : 68,137		
3.	Bombay	3,61,721	73,775 (fresh filing 1,09,319)	20,446	3,20,898	Total : 3,41,344		
4.	Calcutta (As on (01.03.25)	35,347	4,256	7,474	23,617	Total : 31,091		
5.	Chhattisgarh	2,431	10,700	6326	3160	7699	10859	
6.	Delhi (As on 30.04.25)	9,336	28,530	4,971	2,107	4,365	26,423 (out of which 1009 stayed by High Court)	
							Total : 30,788	
7.	Gauhati	Assam	1,008	5,484	245	2,484	763	3,000
		Kohima Bench (Nagaland)	05	61	0	04	05	57
		Aizwal Bench (Mizoram)	96	347	33	58	63	289
		Itanagar Bench (Arunachal Pradesh)	43	143	18	64	25	79
		Total	11,52	6,035	296	2,610	856	3,425
							Total : 4,281	
8.	Gujarat (As on	33,426	22,800	10,626 (out of				

	28.02.2025)					which 1107 stayed by Superior Court)	
9.	Himachal Pradesh		14,304		4,211 (fresh filing 3,258)	2,812	9,750
						Total : 12,562	
10.	Jammu & Kashmir (As on 01.04.25)		8,797		2,894 (fresh filing 4022)	9,925	
11.	Jharkhand		4,258		1408 (fresh filing 1074)	641	2942
						Total : 3,583	
12.	Karnataka		Data not furnished.				
13.	Kerala		87,490		28,178 (fresh filing20,124)	15,968	67,029
						Total : 82,997	
14.	Madhya Pradesh		56,686		24,458 (fresh filing 25,218)	18,429	33,700
						Total : 52,129	
15.	Madras (As on 28.02.2025)		95,802		31,349 (fresh filing 21,752)	86,148	
16.	Manipur		550		130 (fresh filing 136)	90	466
						Total : 556	
17.	Meghalaya		94		81 (fresh filing 42)	12	48
						Total : 60	
18.	Orissa		20,738		3,269	17,109	
19.	Patna		21,119		5082 (fresh filing 3262)	1,937	15,503
						Total : 17,440	
20.	Punjab & Haryana (As on 01.04.25)	Chandigarh	2,212		1,718	494	
		Punjab	53,875		38,852	15,023	
		Haryana	44,580		29,280	15,300	
21.	Rajasthan		3,995	39,517	25,279 (fresh filing 8210)	4,945	17,504
						Total :	

				22,449
22.	Sikkim	51	29 (fresh filing 40)	25 36 Total : 61
23.	Telangana	32,912	10,435 (fresh filing 7,561)	4,431 25,437 Total: 29,868
24.	Tripura	1020	309 (fresh filing 352)	339 724 Total : 1063
25.	Uttarakhand (As on 01.03.25)	3,585	1613 (fresh filing 1041)	281 3,304 (out of which 307 stayed by High Court) Total : 3,585

4. We have also been provided with the list of execution petitions pending before the District judiciary of different High Courts. The details are as under:-

List of Execution Petitions pending in District Judiciary of different High Courts

Sr. No.	Name of High Court	Pendency of six months old Execution Petitions (As per reports furnished)
1	Allahabad	27,815
2.	Andhra Pradesh	68,137
3.	Bombay	3,41,344
4.	Calcutta	31,091
5.	Chhattisgarh	10859
6.	Delhi	29,769

7.	Gauhati	4,281
8.	Gujarat	9,519
9.	Himachal Pradesh	12,562
10.	Jammu & Kashmir	9,925
11.	Jharkhand	3,853
12.	Karnataka	Report not submitted
13.	Kerala	82,997
14.	Madhya Pradesh	52,129
15.	Madras	86,148
16.	Manipur	556
17.	Meghalaya	60
18.	Orissa	17,109
19.	Patna	17,440
20.	Punjab & Haryana	Chandigarh
		Punjab
		Haryana
21.	Rajasthan	22,449
22.	Sikkim	61
23.	Telangana	29,868
24.	Tripura	1,063
25.	Uttarakhand	3,585

	Total :	8,82,578

5. In the last, the Registry provided us with details of the number of execution petitions disposed of by the respective District judiciary across the country after our directions dated 6-3-2025, referred to above.

6. The same is as under:-

Sr. No.	Name of High Court	Execution Petitions disposed of after passing of judgment dated 06.03.2025
1	Allahabad	7,890
2.	Andhra Pradesh	5,079
3.	Bombay	73,775
4.	Calcutta	4,256
5.	Chhattisgarh	6,326
6.	Delhi	7078
7.	Gauhati	2,906
8.	Gujarat	22,800
9.	Himachal Pradesh	4,211
10.	Jammu & Kashmir	2,894
11.	Jharkhand	1,408
12.	Karnataka	Report not submitted
13.	Kerala	28,178
14.	Madhya Pradesh	24,458
15.	Madras	31,349

16.	Manipur	130
17.	Meghalaya	81
18.	Orissa	3,269
19.	Patna	5,082
20.	Chandigarh	1,718
	Punjab	38,852
	Haryana	29,280
21.	Rajasthan	25,279
22.	Sikkim	29
23.	Telangana	10,435
24.	Tripura	309
25.	Uttarakhand	1,613
	Total :	3,38,685

6. The statistics which we have received are highly disappointing. The figures of the pendency of the execution petitions across the country are alarming.

7. As on date, 8,82,578 execution petitions are pending across the country.

8. In last six months i.e. after our directions, in all 3,38,685 execution petitions have been decided and disposed of.

9. Unfortunately, the High Court of Karnataka has failed to furnish us with the necessary data in this regard.

10. The Registry shall once again give a reminder to the High Court of Karnataka to furnish the necessary data as regards the disposal of the execution petitions in last six months and the pendency of it as on date.

11. The Registrar General of the High Court of Karnataka owes an explanation why he has failed to provide us with the necessary information. Two weeks' time is granted to the Registrar General of the High Court to offer his explanation in this regard.

12. In view of the above, we grant further six months to all the High Courts to follow up with their respective District judiciary as regards the disposal of the execution petitions.

13. As observed in our main Judgment, after the decree is passed, if it is going to take years and years to execute the decree, then it makes no sense and would be nothing short of travesty of justice.

14. We once again request all the High Courts to evolve some procedure and guide their respective District judiciary for effective and expeditious disposal of the execution petitions which are pending as on date.

15. Post this matter to report further progress on 10-4-2026.

16. On 10-4-2026, we want complete figures from all the High Courts as regards the status of execution petitions the way they have forwarded as referred to above.

17. When this matter is notified once again on 10-4-2026, we want all the High Courts on their original side also to furnish the necessary information as regards the pending execution petitions as well as disposal of the same.

18. Registry shall forward one copy each of this order to all the High Courts.

(VISHAL ANAND)
ASTT. REGISTRAR-cum-PS

(POOJA SHARMA)
COURT MASTER (NSH)