

## IN THE SUPREME COURT OF INDIA CRIMINAL APPELLATE JURISDICTION

CRIMINAL APPEAL NO(S). OF 2025 (Arising out of SLP (Crl.) No(s).16235 of 2025)

**SHUBHAM** 

....APPELLANT(S)

## **VERSUS**

STATE OF UP

....RESPONDENT(S)

## ORDER

- **1.** Heard.
- **2.** Leave granted.
- 3. The appellant was convicted by the Additional Judge, Court No.1, Sessions Agra and sentenced to undergo rigorous imprisonment of 5 years along with a fine of Rs.5,000/- and in default additional to undergo six months' simple imprisonment.
- **4.** The appellant has preferred Criminal Appeal No.7160 of 2023 in the High Court of Judicature at Allahabad, which is still pending consideration. An application seeking suspension of sentence filed on behalf of the appellant stands rejected by the High

Court *vide* order dated 20<sup>th</sup> August, 2025, which is the subject matter of challenge in this appeal by special leave.

- **5.** Considering the facts and circumstances of the case and more particularly the period of incarceration undergone by the appellant, which is nearly three years and since, hearing of the appeal is unlikely in the near future. We are inclined to accept the prayer made by the appellant.
- **6.** We, therefore, suspend the sentences and direct that the appellant shall be released on bail during pendency of the appeal before the High Court on such terms and conditions as may be imposed by the trial Court.
- **7.** The appeal stands allowed, accordingly.
- **8.** Pending application(s), if any, shall stand disposed of.

	J. (VIKRAM NATH)
	J. (SANDEEP MEHTA)
NEW DELHI;	

**NOVEMBER 21, 2025.** 

ITEM NO.9 COURT NO.3 SECTION II

## SUPREME COURT OF INDIA RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS

Petition(s) for Special Leave to Appeal (Crl.) No(s). 16235/2025
[Arising out of impugned interim order dated 20-08-2025 in CRMSOSBA No. 1/2023 in Crl. A 7160 of 2023 passed by the High Court of Judicature at Allahabad]

SHUBHAM Petitioner(s)

**VERSUS** 

STATE OF UP Respondent(s)
IA No. 259656/2025 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING C/C OF
THE IMPUGNED JUDGMENT
IA No. 259661/2025 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING O.T.

Date: 21-11-2025 This matter was called on for hearing today.

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE VIKRAM NATH
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SANDEEP MEHTA

For Petitioner(s): Mr. Manish Kumar Vikkey, AOR
Mr. Abhishek Ravi, Adv.
Mr. Kanchan Kumar Jha, Adv.

For Respondent(s): Mr. Sarvesh Singh Baghel, AOR

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

Leave granted.

The appeal stands allowed in terms of the signed order.

Paragraph 6 of the order is extracted below:

"6. We, therefore, suspend the sentences and direct that the appellant shall be released on bail during pendency of the appeal before the High Court on such terms and conditions as may be imposed by the trial Court."

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

(SONIA BHASIN)
ASSISTANT REGISTRAR-CUM-PS
[Signed order is placed on the file]

(RANJANA SHAILEY)
ASSISTANT REGISTRAR