



IN THE SUPREME COURT OF INDIA
CRIMINAL APPELLATE JURISDICTION

CRIMINAL APPEAL NO. _____ OF 2025
(@ SLP(CRL.) No. 7392/2025)

AMEER

APPELLANT(S)

VERSUS

THE STATE OF KERALA

RESPONDENT(S)

WITH

CRIMINAL APPEAL NO. _____ OF 2025
(@ SLP(Crl) No. 9058/2025)

CRIMINAL APPEAL NO. _____ OF 2025
(@ SLP(Crl) No. 7394/2025)

CRIMINAL APPEAL NO. _____ OF 2025
(@ SLP(Crl) No. 7395/2025)

CRIMINAL APPEAL NO. _____ OF 2025
(@ SLP(Crl) No. 7393/2025)

O R D E R

1. Leave granted.
2. We have heard the learned counsel appearing for the parties.

3. Pursuant to a political rivalry, the appellants committed the offences punishable under Sections 143, 147, 148, 302, 307, 324, 341 and 427 read with Section 149 of the Indian Penal Code, 1860 and they have been convicted by the Trial Court for the offences as aforestated. A maximum sentence of life imprisonment has been imposed upon them.
4. We have been informed that the co-accused have been granted a suspension of their sentence. The appeal is of the year 2022. The appellants have already incarcerated for more than 3½ years.
5. Considering the above, we are inclined to set aside the impugned order and suspend the sentence of the appellants.
6. Accordingly, the impugned order stands set aside and the appellants' sentence shall remain suspended, and they shall be released on bail till the disposal of the criminal appeal(s) pending before the High Court, subject to the terms and conditions that may be imposed by the Trial Court.

7. The appeals are allowed, accordingly.
8. Pending application(s), if any, shall stand disposed of.

.....J.
[M.M. SUNDRESH]

.....J.
[NONGMEIKAPAM KOTISWAR SINGH]

NEW DELHI;
12th AUGUST, 2025

ITEM NO.11

COURT NO.5

SECTION II-D

S U P R E M E C O U R T O F I N D I A
RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS

Petition(s) for Special Leave to Appeal (Crl.)
No(s). 7392/2025

[Arising out of impugned final judgment and order
dated 16-10-2023 in CRLMA No. 4/2023 in Crl.A.
No.612/2022 passed by the High Court of Kerala at
Ernakulam]

AMEER

Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

THE STATE OF KERALA

Respondent(s)

WITH

SLP(Crl) No. 9058/2025 (II-D)

IA No. 136561/2025 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING O.T.

IA No. 136562/2025 - PERMISSION TO FILE ADDITIONAL
DOCUMENTS/FACTS/ANNEXURES

SLP(Crl) No. 7394/2025 (II-D)

SLP(Crl) No. 7395/2025 (II-D)

SLP(Crl) No. 7393/2025 (II-D)

Date : 12-08-2025 This petition was called on for
hearing today.

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE M.M. SUNDRESH

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE NONGMEIKAPAM KOTISWAR SINGH

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UPON hearing the counsel the Court made
the following

O R D E R

Leave granted.

The relevant portion of the order reads as
under:-

'Accordingly, the impugned
order stands set aside and the
appellants' sentence shall
remain suspended, and they
shall be released on bail till
the disposal of the criminal
appeal(s) pending before the
High Court, subject to the
terms and conditions that may
be imposed by the Trial
Court.'

The appeals are allowed in terms of the
signed order.

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

(SWETA BALODI)
ASTT. REGISTRAR-cum-PS
(Signed order is placed on the file)

(POONAM VAID)
ASSISTANT REGISTRAR