



IN THE SUPREME COURT OF INDIA
CRIMINAL APPELLATE JURISDICTION

CRIMINAL APPEAL No. OF 2026

(@ SPECIAL LEAVE PETITION (CRIMINAL) No.14603/2026)



..... APPELLANT(S)

VERSUS

STATE OF NCT DELHI

..... RESPONDENT(S)

O R D E R

1. Leave granted.
2. We have heard Mr. Abhimanyu Kumar, learned counsel for the appellant and Mr. Davinder Pal Singh, learned Additional Solicitor General of India for the respondent State of NCT Delhi.
3. Appellant is aggrieved by order dated 10.07.2026, passed by the High Court of Delhi at New Delhi, (briefly the 'High Court' hereinafter) rejecting the anticipatory bail application of the appellant.
4. Be it stated that appellant has been named as an accused in FIR No.97/2026, registered at Bhalswa Dairy Police Station, under Sections 313/376/354C/34 of the Indian Penal Code, 1860 (IPC) read with Section 69 of the

Bharatiya Nyaya Sanhita, 2023 (for short, 'BNS').

5. Allegation against the appellant is that on the pretext of marriage, he had established physical relationship with the informant.

6. This Court by order dated 14.08.2026 had issued notice and granted interim protection to the appellant subject to the appellant cooperating with the investigation.

7. In the hearing today, learned Additional Solicitor General submits that investigation is complete whereafter charge sheet has been submitted. Appellant had cooperated with the investigation.

8. That being the position, we set aside the order of the High Court dated 10.07.2026 and make our order dated 19.08.2026 absolute.

9. Appeal is accordingly allowed.

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

.....J.

(UJJAL BHUYAN)

.....J.

(ATUL S. CHANDURKAR)

NEW DELHI;
October 07th, 2026.
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R E C O R D O F P R O C E E D I N G S

Petition for Special Leave to Appeal (Crl.) No. 14603/2026

[Arising out of impugned final judgment and order dated 10-07-2026 in BAIL APPLN. No. 1385/2026 passed by the High Court of Delhi at New Delhi]

Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

STATE OF NCT DELHI

Respondent(s)

[IA No. 234914/2026 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING C/C OF THE IMPUGNED JUDGMENT, IA No. 234916/2026 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING O.T.]

Date : 07-10-2026 This matter was called on for hearing today.

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE UJJAL BHUYAN
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ATUL S. CHANDURKAR

For Petitioner(s) : Mr. R.D. Singh, Adv.
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For Respondent(s) : Mr. Davinder Pal Singh, A.S.G.
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Mr. Vivek Gurnani, Adv.
Mr. Rajesh Kumar Singh, Adv.
Ms. Vidhi Gupta, Adv.

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

1. Leave granted.
2. Appeal is allowed in terms of the signed order.

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

(IRAMNAZ)
COURT MASTER (SH)

(CHETNA BALOONI)
COURT MASTER (NSH)

(signed order is placed on the file)